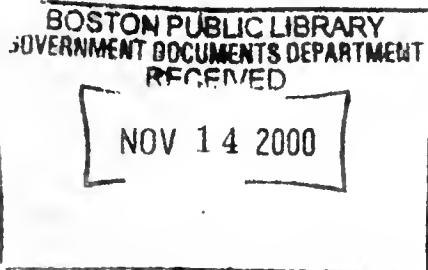


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INTRODUCTION

THIS ISSUE OF STATISTICS OF COMMUNICATIONS COMMON CARRIERS CONTAINS FINANCIAL AND OPERATING DATA FOR THE YEAR 1972. THE INFORMATION WAS TAKEN PRINCIPALLY FROM ANNUAL AND MONTHLY REPORTS FILED BY THE CARRIERS WITH THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION. THIS PUBLICATION HAS BEEN ISSUED ANNUALLY SINCE 1939. PREVIOUS TO 1957 IT WAS TITLED "STATISTICS OF THE COMMUNICATIONS INDUSTRY IN THE UNITED STATES".

ALL COMMUNICATIONS CARRIERS ENGAGED IN INTERSTATE OR FOREIGN COMMUNICATION SERVICE EXCEPT THOSE THAT OPERATE SOLELY THROUGH CONNECTION WITH THE FACILITIES OF AN UNAFFILIATED CARRIER ARE SUBJECT TO ALL THE COMMON CARRIER PROVISIONS OF THE COMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1934 AS AMENDED.

SUBJECT TELEPHONE CARRIERS WHICH OPERATE TELEPHONE EXCHANGES AND HAVE OPERATING REVENUES IN EXCESS OF \$1,000,000 AND THOSE WHICH DO NOT OPERATE TELEPHONE EXCHANGES BUT OPERATE TO OVERSEAS POINTS OR IN THE MARITIME RADIO SERVICES AND HAVE ANNUAL OPERATING REVENUES IN EXCESS OF \$50,000 ARE REQUIRED TO FILE ANNUAL REPORTS WITH THE COMMISSION.

TELEGRAPH CARRIERS WHICH HAVE ANNUAL OPERATING REVENUES IN EXCESS OF \$50,000 ARE REQUIRED TO FILE ANNUAL REPORTS. COMPANIES CONTROLLING COMMUNICATIONS COMMON CARRIERS WHOSE ANNUAL REVENUES EXCEED \$2,500,000 ARE ALSO REQUIRED TO FILE ANNUAL REPORTS. ANNUAL REPORTS FOR THE YEAR 1972 WERE FILED BY 61 TELEPHONE CARRIERS, 7 TELEGRAPH CARRIERS AND 11 CONTROLLING COMPANIES. AN ANNUAL REPORT WAS ALSO FILED BY THE COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION.

TELEPHONE CARRIERS WHOSE ANNUAL OPERATING REVENUES EXCEED \$1,000,000 AND TELEGRAPH CARRIERS HAVING ANNUAL OPERATING REVENUES EXCEEDING \$250,000 ARE ALSO REQUIRED TO FILE CONDENSED MONTHLY REPORTS OF FINANCIAL AND OPERATING DATA.

PART 1 OF THIS VOLUME CONTAINS INFORMATION CONCERNING ALL REPORTING CARRIERS.

PART 2 CONTAINS FINANCIAL AND OPERATING DATA RELATING TO TELEPHONE CARRIERS. SUMMARIES FOR ALL REPORTING TELEPHONE CARRIERS AND FOR BELL COMPANIES ARE INCLUDED AS WELL AS DATA BY INDIVIDUAL CARRIERS. BELL COMPANIES AS USED IN THIS PUBLICATION REPRESENTS THE AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY ITS PRINCIPAL TELEPHONE SUBSIDIARIES AND CINCINNATI BELL, INC. AND THE SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE COMPANY.

IT IS ESTIMATED THAT ON THE BASIS OF ASSETS AND REVENUES, THE TELEPHONE CARRIERS REPORTING TO THE COMMISSION AS FULLY SUBJECT CARRIERS REPRESENT ABOUT 90 PERCENT OF THE TELEPHONE INDUSTRY IN THE UNITED STATES.

THE GROSS BOOK COST OF COMMUNICATION PLANT OF THE REPORTING TELEPHONE COMPANIES WAS \$73,315,480,000 AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1972 AS COMPARED WITH \$66,322,190,000 AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1971, AN INCREASE OF 10 PERCENT. THE TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES REPORTED BY THESE CARRIERS FOR THE YEAR 1972 WERE \$22,591,440,000 AS COMPARED WITH \$19,977,303,000 FOR THE YEAR 1971, AN INCREASE OF 12 PERCENT. AND THE TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES, EXCLUDING TAXES, AMOUNTED TO \$14,578,449,000 AS COMPARED WITH \$12,991,492,000 FOR THE PRECEDING YEAR, AN INCREASE OF 12 PERCENT.

IN COMPILED SUMMARY FIGURES FOR TELEPHONE COMPANIES, DUPLICATIONS BETWEEN THE BELL COMPANIES WITH RESPECT TO SECURITIES RECEIVABLES, PAYABLES AND ITEMS OF INCOME AND EXPENSE, EXCEPT IN MINOR INSTANCES, HAVE BEEN ELIMINATED.

DATA RELATING TO THE LARGER NON-SUBJECT TELEPHONE CARRIERS, SUPPLIED VOLUNTARILY BY THOSE CARRIERS, ARE SHOWN IN TABLE 17 OF THIS ISSUE.

PART 3 OF THIS VOLUME CONTAINS DATA RELATING TO DOMESTIC AND OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS. THE TELEGRAPH CARRIERS REPORTING TO THE COMMISSION ALONG WITH RECORD COMMUNICATIONS BUSINESS REPORTED BY TELEPHONE COMPANIES REPRESENT PRACTICALLY ALL OF THE TELEGRAPH INDUSTRY IN THE UNITED STATES.

THE GROSS BOOK COST OF COMMUNICATION PLANT OF THE DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH CARRIER AMOUNTED TO \$1,335,439,000 AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1972, AS COMPARED WITH \$1,235,248,000 AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1971, AN INCREASE OF 8 PERCENT. THE OPERATING REVENUES OF THE DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH CARRIER FOR THE YEAR 1972 AMOUNTED TO \$431,762,000 AND THE OPERATING EXPENSES, EXCLUDING TAXES, AMOUNTED TO \$357,553,000 AS COMPARED WITH \$396,841,000 AND \$346,451,000, RESPECTIVELY, REPRESENTING DECREASES OF 9 PER CENT IN REVENUES AND 3 PERCENT IN EXPENSES COMPARED WITH THE YEAR 1971.

THE GROSS BOOK COST OF COMMUNICATION PLANT OF OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS WAS \$422,232,000 AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1972 AS COMPARED WITH \$389,252,000 AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1971, AN INCREASE OF 8 PERCENT. THE OPERATING REVENUES OF THE OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS FOR THE YEAR 1972 AMOUNTED TO \$227,588,000 AND THE OPERATING EXPENSES, EXCLUDING TAXES, AMOUNTED TO \$169,916,000 AS COMPARED WITH \$207,394,000 AND \$156,137,000, RESPECTIVELY, REPRESENTING INCREASES OF 10 PERCENT IN REVENUES AND 9 PERCENT IN EXPENSES AS COMPARED WITH THE YEAR 1971.

PART 4 OF THIS VOLUME INCLUDES THE BALANCE SHEET AND INCOME STATEMENT OF THE COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION.

PART 5 OF THIS VOLUME SHOWS THE INTERCORPORATE RELATIONS OF ALL THE SUBJECT CARRIERS REPORTING TO THE COMMISSION AND THE CONTROLLING COMPANIES.

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TABLE 1 --SELECTED DATA OF TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH CARRIERS REPORTING
TO THE COMMISSION FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1972

(FIGURES SHOWN IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT NUMBER OF CARRIERS)

ITEM	TELEPHONE CARRIERS 1/	TELEGRAPH CARRIERS			TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH CARRIERS
		TOTAL TELEGRAPH CARRIERS	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH CARRIER	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS	
NUMBER OF CARRIERS	61	7	1	6	68
GROSS BOOK COST OF COMMUNICATION PLANT	\$73,315,480	\$1,757,670	\$1,335,438	\$422,232	\$75,073,150
DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION RESERVES	15,649,889	504,290	384,114	120,176	16,154,179
NET BOOK COST OF COMMUNICATION PLANT	57,665,591	1,253,381	951,325	302,056	58,918,972
CAPITAL STOCK	11,273,960	76,531	66,525	10,006	11,350,491
LONG-TERM DEBT	26,520,281	457,545	342,448	115,097	26,977,826
TOTAL EARNED SURPLUS	10,591,395	293,446	157,386	136,060	10,884,841
OPERATING REVENUES	22,591,440	659,350	431,762	227,588	23,250,790
OPERATING EXPENSES	14,578,449	527,469	357,553	169,916	15,105,918
DIVIDENDS DECLARED	1,829,979	39,660	27,033	12,627	1,869,639
MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	24	0	0	0	24
MILES OF WIRE	728,415	481	481	0	728,896
NUMBER OF TELEPHONES 2/	115,640	0	0	0	115,640
TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING YEAR 3/					
LOCAL	189,477,357	0	0	0	189,477,357
TOLL	12,383,746	0	0	0	12,383,746
NUMBER OF TELEGRAPH MESSAGES 3/	0	68,924	39,826	29,098	68,924
NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF OCTOBER	4/ 849	24	17	7	873
TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	8,772,611	271,351	194,005	77,346	9,043,962

NOTE -- SEE TABLES 16 AND 34 FOR DATA OF INDIVIDUAL CARRIERS

1/ INTERCOMPANY DUPLICATIONS, EXCEPT IN MINOR INSTANCES, HAVE BEEN ELIMINATED.

2/ INCLUDES COMPANY, SERVICE AND PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONE

3/ PARTLY ESTIMATED BY REPORTING CARRIERS. THE NUMBER OF TELEGRAPH MESSAGES SHOWN INCLUDE THE DOMESTIC
TRANSMISSION OF TRANSOCEANIC AND MARINE MESSAGES

4/ NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER

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TABLE 2 TAX ACCRUALS AND EXCISE TAXES COLLECTED FROM USERS OF COMMUNICATION SERVICE AS REPORTED BY TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH CARRIERS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31 1972

ITEM	TELEPHONE CARRIERS	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH CARRIER	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS	TOTAL
TAX ACCRUALS				
FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME	\$1 064 264 931	0	\$11 890 100	\$1 076 155 031
INCOME TAX DIFFERENTIALS FROM LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION	1 465 298 276	2 0	3 0	465 298 276
STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	168 163 692	\$23 000	1 585 053	169 771 745
FOREIGN TAXES ON INCOME	0	0	561 918	561 918
PROPERTY TAXES	1 155 013 261	10 167 050	4 506 884	1 169 687 195
GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	536 027 971	1 767 162	231 052	538 026 185
FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	337 707 296	9 372 320	2 586 637	349 666 253
FOREIGN SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	0	0	196 335	196 335
OTHER TAXES	98 094 109	2 012 494	1 182 662	101 289 265
TOTAL TAX ACCRUALS	3 824 569 537	23 342 026	22 740 641	3 870 652 204
EXCISE TAXES COLLECTED FROM PERSONS USING THE RESPONDENT'S SERVICE				
U S GOVERNMENT	1 769 185 476	12 738 432	8 371 427	1 790 295 335
OTHER THAN U S GOVERNMENT	336 683 700	1 892 704	0	338 576 404
TOTAL EXCISE TAXES COLLECTED	2 105 869 176	14 631 136	8 371 427	2 128 871 739
INVESTMENT TAX CREDITS REALIZED DURING YEAR	333 013 650	4 0	2 037 824	335 051 474

INDICATES REVERSE ITEM

- 1 REPRESENTS THE EXCESS OF CHARGES TO INCOME TAX EXPENSE BY SOME COMPANIES WHO, FOR TAX PURPOSES BUT NOT FOR ACCOUNTING PURPOSES USED LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION METHODS RECOGNIZED BY SECTION 167 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE ALONG WITH NORMALIZATION TAX ACCOUNTING OVER CREDITS TO INCOME TAX EXPENSE BY OTHER COMPANIES WHO IN PAST YEARS USED LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION FOR TAX PURPOSE ALONG WITH NORMALIZATION TAX ACCOUNTING BUT LATER EITHER CEASED USING LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION OR SWITCHED TO FLOW THROUGH TAX ACCOUNTING AND ARE AMORTIZING TO INCOME TAX EXPENSE THE PREVIOUSLY ACCUMULATED PROVISIONS FOR FUTURE TAXES
- 2 WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO HAD AN ESTIMATED NET REDUCTION IN FEDERAL INCOME TAX EXPENSE OF \$4 500,000 ARISING FROM THE UTILIZATION FOR INCOME TAX PURPOSES BUT NOT FOR ACCOUNTING PURPOSES OF A LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION METHOD RECOGNIZED BY SECTION 167 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1954. IT ALSO HAD AN ESTIMATED NET INCREASE IN FEDERAL INCOME TAX EXPENSE OF \$57 000 ARISING FROM THE USE FOR TAX PURPOSES IN PRIOR YEARS OF FIVE-YEAR AMORTIZATION AUTHORIZED UNDER SECTION 168 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1954. THE ACCUMULATED NET BALANCE AT DECEMBER 31 1972 OF LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION AND FIVE-YEAR AMORTIZATION INCOME TAX DIFFERENTIALS ACCOUNTED FOR ON THE FLOW THROUGH BASIS WAS \$59 781 000
- 3 REPRESENTS CREDITS TO INCOME TAX EXPENSE BY ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS INC WHICH PRIOR TO 1961 FOR TAX PURPOSES BUT NOT FOR ACCOUNTING USED LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION METHODS RECOGNIZED BY SECTION 167 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1954 ALONG WITH NORMALIZATION TAX ACCOUNTING. THE PROVISIONS IN THE ACCOUNTS FOR DEFERRED TAXES ARE BEING AMORTIZED IN EQUAL AMOUNTS OVER TEN YEARS COMMENCING IN 1962. ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS INC, RCA GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC AND WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL, INC HAD FOR THE YEAR 1972 NET REDUCTIONS IN FEDERAL INCOME TAX EXPENSE OF \$2 670 000 \$2 944 000 AND \$1 237 000 RESPECTIVELY. ARISING FROM THE UTILIZATION FOR INCOME TAX PURPOSES BUT NOT FOR ACCOUNTING PURPOSES OF LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION WHICH WAS ACCOUNTED FOR ON THE FLOW THROUGH BASIS THE ACCUMULATED AMOUNTS OF LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION INCOME TAX DIFFERENTIALS ACCOUNTED FOR ON THE FLOW THROUGH BASIS SINCE THAT BASIS WAS ADOPTED AT VARIOUS DATES WERE \$9 619 064 \$17 963 000 AND \$4 371 000 FOR THE THREE COMPANIES IN THE SAME ORDER
- 4 WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO WAS UNABLE TO USE ITS INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT APPLICABLE TO 1972 OF APPROXIMATELY \$15 600 000 DUE TO THE ABSENCE OF TAX LIABILITY

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TABLE 3 --LIST OF TELEPHONE CARRIERS REPORTING TO THE COMMISSION FOR THE YEAR ENDED
DECEMBER 31, 1972 WHOSE REPORTS WERE USED IN THE STATISTICAL TABULATIONS

NAME OF COMPANY	HEADQUARTERS	TYPE OF REPORT FILED	STATE OR TERRITORY IN WHICH CARRIER OPERATES
ALL AMERICA CABLES AND RAOIO, INC	SANTURCE, P.R.	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	OPERATES BETWEEN FLORIOA AND PUERTO RICO
*AMERICAN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	NEW YORK, N.Y.	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA AND ALL STATES EXCEPT ALASKA AND HAWAII
*BELL TELEPHONE CO OF NEVADA	SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	NEVADA
*BELL TELEPHONE CO OF PENNSYLVANIA	PHILADELPHIA, PA	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	PENNSYLVANIA
#CENTRAL RADIO TELEGRAPH CO	ROGERS CITY, MICH.	ANNUAL	GREAT LAKES
*CHESAPEAKE & POTOMAC TELEPHONE CO	WASHINGTON, D.C.	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
*CHESAPEAKE & POTOMAC TELEPHONE CO OF MARYLAND	BALTIMORE, MARYLAND	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	MARYLAND
*CHESAPEAKE & POTOMAC TELEPHONE CO OF VIRGINIA	RICHMOND, VIRGINIA	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	VIRGINIA
*CHESAPEAKE & POTOMAC TELEPHONE CO OF WEST VIRGINIA	CHARLESTON, W.VA.	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	WEST VIRGINIA
*CINCINNATI BELL, INC	CINCINNATI, OHIO	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	INDIANA, KENTUCKY, OHIO
CITIZENS UTILITIES COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA	REDDING, CALIFORNIA	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	CALIFORNIA, NEVAOA, ARIZONA
CONTINENTAL TELEPHONE CO OF CALIFORNIA	OILDALE, CALIFORNIA	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	CALIFORNIA, NEVAOA, ARIZONA
CUBAN AMERICAN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	HAVANA, CUBA	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	OPERATES BETWEEN FLORIOA AND CUBA
DELAWARE VALLEY TELEPHONE CO	JOHNSTOWN, NEW YORK	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	PENNSYLVANIA, NEW JERSEY
*DIAMOND STATE TELEPHONE CO	PHILADELPHIA, PA	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	DELAWARE
GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF ALASKA	SEATTLE, WASHINGTON	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	ALASKA
GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF INDIANA, INC	FORT WAYNE, INDIANA	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	INDIANA
GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF MICHIGAN	MUSKEGON, MICHIGAN	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	MICHIGAN
GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF THE NORTHWEST, INC	EVERETT, WASHINGTON	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	IDAHO, MONTANA, OREGON
GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF OHIO	MARION, OHIO	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	INDIANA, MICHIGAN, OHIO
GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF THE SOUTHEAST	OURHAM, N.C.	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	GEORGIA, NORTH CAROLINA, SOUTH CAROLINA, TENNESSEE, VIRGINIA, WEST VIRGINIA
GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF THE SOUTHWEST	SAN ANGELO, TEXAS	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	ARKANSAS, LOUISIANA, NEW MEXICO, OKLAHOMA, TEXAS
GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF UPSTATE NEW YORK, INC	JOHNSTOWN, N.Y.	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	NEW YORK
GENEVA TELEPHONE CO	GENEVA, OHIO	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	OHIO
HAWAIIAN TELEPHONE CO	HONOLULU, HAWAII	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	HAWAII
IDAHO TELEPHONE CO	HOMEADE, IDAHO	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	IDAHO, OREGON
*ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE CO	CHICAGO, ILLINOIS	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	ILLINOIS, INDIANA
*INDIANA BELL TELEPHONE CO, INC	INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	INDIANA
ITT COMMUNICATIONS, INC -VIRGIN ISLANDS	ST THOMAS, V.I.	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	OPERATES BETWEEN FLORIOA AND VIRGIN ISLANDS
#LORAIN ELECTRONICS CORP	LORAIN, OHIO	ANNUAL	GREAT LAKES
LORAIN TELEPHONE CO	LORAIN, OHIO	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	OHIO
MALHEUR HOME TELEPHONE CO	ONTARIO, OREGON	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	OREGON
*MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE CO	DETROIT, MICHIGAN	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	MICHIGAN
MID-PENN TELEPHONE CORPORATION	KITTANNING, PA	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	PENNSYLVANIA

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DECEMBER 31 1972 WHOSE REPORTS WERE USED IN THE STATISTICAL TABULATIONS
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NAME OF COMPANY	HEADQUARTERS	TYPE OF REPORT FILED	STATE OR TERRITORY IN WHICH CARRIER OPERATES
*MOUNTAIN STATES TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH CO	DENVER COLORADO	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	ARIZONA, COLORADO, IDAHO, MONTANA, NEW MEXICO, TEXAS, UTAH, WYOMING
NAVAJO COMMUNICATIONS CO INC	GRANDVIEW TEXAS	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	ARIZONA, NEW MEXICO, UTAH
NEMONT TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC	MONTANA NORTH OAKOTA	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	
*NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	BOSTON MASSACHUSETTS	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	MAINE, MASSACHUSETTS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT
*NEW JERSEY BELL TELEPHONE CO	NEWARK, NEW JERSEY	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	NEW JERSEY
*NEW YORK TELEPHONE CO	NEW YORK, NEW YORK	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	CONNECTICUT, NEW YORK
NORFOLK & CAROLINA TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	ELIZABETH CITY, N C	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	NORTH CAROLINA
NORFOLK & CAROLINA TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO OF VA	ELIZABETH CITY, N C	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	VIRGINIA
*NORTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO	OMAHA NEBRASKA	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	IOWA, MINNESOTA, NEBRASKA, NORTH OAKOTA, SOUTH OAKOTA
*OHIO BELL TELEPHONE CO	CLEVELAND, OHIO	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	OHIO
*PACIFIC NORTHWEST BELL TELEPHONE CO	SEATTLE, WASHINGTON	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	IDAHO, OREGON, WASHINGTON
*PACIFIC TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	CALIFORNIA
PUERTO RICO TELEPHONE CO	SAN JUAN, P R	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	PUERTO RICO
RCA ALASKA COMMUNICATIONS, INC	ANCHORAGE, ALASKA	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	ALASKA
*SOUTH CENTRAL BELL TELEPHONE CO	BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	ALABAMA, KENTUCKY
SOUTH PENN TELEPHONE CO 1/	WAYNESBURG, PA	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	LOUISIANA, MISSISSIPPI, TENNESSEE
*SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH CO	ATLANTA, GEORGIA	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	PENNSYLVANIA
*SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE CO	NEW HAVEN, CONN	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	FLORIDA, GEORGIA, NORTH CAROLINA, SOUTH CAROLINA
*SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO	ST LOUIS, MISSOURI	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	CONNECTICUT
UNITED INTER-MOUNTAIN TELEPHONE CO	BRISTOL, TENNESSEE	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	ARKANSAS, ILLINOIS, KANSAS
UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF INDIANA, INC	WARSAW, INDIANA	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	MISSOURI, OKLAHOMA, TEXAS
UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF THE NORTHWEST	HOOD RIVER, OREGON	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	TENNESSEE, VIRGINIA
UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF OHIO	MANSFIELD, OHIO	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	INDIANA, OHIO
UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF THE WEST	SCOTTSBLUFF, NEBRASKA	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	OREGON, WASHINGTON
VIRGIN ISLANDS TELEPHONE CORPORATION	ST THOMAS, V I	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	OHIO
WEST COAST TELEPHONE CO OF CALIFORNIA	EVERETT, WASHINGTON	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	NEBRASKA, WYOMING
WESTCO TELEPHONE CO	WEAVERVILLE, N C	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	VIRGIN ISLANDS
WESTERN CAROLINA TELEPHONE CO	WEAVERVILLE, N C	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	CALIFORNIA
*WISCONSIN TELEPHONE CO	MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	NORTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA
WOODBURY TELEPHONE CO	WOODBURY, CONNECTICUT	ANNUAL, MONTHLY	NORTH CAROLINA
			WISCONSIN
			CONNECTICUT

NOTE --CARRIERS REPORTING ANNUALLY TO THE COMMISSION INCLUDE THOSE SUBJECT TO ALL THE COMMON CARRIER PROVISIONS OF THE COMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1934, AS AMENDED, WHICH HAVE ANNUAL OPERATING REVENUES IN EXCESS OF \$1,000,000 AND THOSE WHICH OPERATE TO OVERSEAS POINTS OR IN THE MARITIME RADIO SERVICES AND HAVE ANNUAL OPERATING REVENUES IN EXCESS OF \$50,000. DATA PERTAINING TO THE TWO EXCLUSIVELY MARITIME RADIO CARRIERS REPORTING ARE NOT INCLUDED IN THE STATISTICAL TABULATIONS IN THIS VOLUME EXCEPT IN TABLE 35. CARRIERS HAVING ANNUAL OPERATING REVENUES IN EXCESS OF \$1,000,000 ARE ALSO REQUIRED TO FILE MONTHLY REPORTS OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES.

IN ADDITION TO THE CARRIERS LISTED IN THIS TABLE, DATA WERE OBTAINED FROM CERTAIN OF THE LARGER NON-SUBJECT TELEPHONE CARRIERS AND ARE TABULATED IN TABLE 17.

* BELL COMPANY BELL COMPANIES AS REFERRED TO IN THIS VOLUME INCLUDE THE AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY ITS PRINCIPAL TELEPHONE SUBSIDIARIES, AND TWO ASSOCIATED COMPANIES, CINCINNATI BELL, INC AND SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE COMPANY

ENGAGED IN MARITIME RADIO SERVICE ONLY

1. SOUTH PENN TELEPHONE COMPANY MERGED INTO MID-PENN TELEPHONE CORPORATION ON FEBRUARY 27, 1972

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TABLE 4 -- AVERAGES AND RATIOS COMPUTED FROM SELECTED DATA SUBMITTED BY TELEPHONE CARRIERS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31 1972

ITEM	AMOUNT OR PERCENT
BOOK COST OF COMMUNICATION PLANT	
GROSS BOOK COST PER COMPANY TELEPHONE	\$638 66
NET BOOK COST PER COMPANY TELEPHONE	\$502 33
RATIO OF OPERATING REVENUES TO AVERAGE NET BOOK COST OF COMMUNICATION PLANT	41 25%
RATIO OF DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION RESERVES TO GROSS BOOK COST OF COMMUNICATION PLANT	21 35%
RATIO OF INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT TO NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER TAXES	38 56%
TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES PER COMPANY TELEPHONE 1	\$100 06
TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES PER COMPANY TELEPHONE 1	\$94 56
OPERATING REVENUES PER COMPANY TELEPHONE 1	\$201 77
OPERATING EXPENSES PER COMPANY TELEPHONE 1	\$130 21
RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	64 53%
RATIO OF TRAFFIC EXPENSES TO TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	8 03%
RATIO OF MAINTENANCE EXPENSES TO TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	20 51%
RATIO OF MAINTENANCE EXPENSES TO AVERAGE GROSS BOOK COST OF COMMUNICATION PLANT	6 58%
DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	
RATIO TO AVERAGE GROSS BOOK COST OF COMMUNICATION PLANT	4 77%
RATIO TO OPERATING REVENUES	14 75%
RATIO TO OPERATING EXPENSES (INCLUDING DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION)	22 85%
TAXES	
RATIO TO OPERATING REVENUES	18 03%
RATIO TO OPERATING EXPENSES AND TAXES	21 83%
NET OPERATING INCOME (AFTER ALL TAXES)	
RATIO TO AVERAGE NET BOOK COST OF COMMUNICATION PLANT	7 19%
RATIO TO OPERATING REVENUES	17 43%
RATIO OF NET INCOME TO AVERAGE EQUITY CAPITAL	9 26%
WIRE MILEAGE	
PERCENT OF WIRE IN CABLE	99 44%
PERCENT OF AERIAL WIRE	56%
CALLS ORIGINATING DURING YEAR PER TELEPHONE 2	
LOCAL	1 683 53
TOLL	110 02
EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER, PERCENT OF TOTAL	
MALE	48 04%
FEMALE	51 96%
AVERAGE COMPENSATION PER EMPLOYEE PER ANNUM 3	\$10,330 58
COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	
RATIO TO OPERATING REVENUES	29 58%
RATIO TO OPERATING EXPENSES	45 84%

NOTE --FOR BASIC DATA USED IN COMPUTING THE AVERAGES AND RATIOS IN THIS TABLE REFER TO TABLE 16

1/ BASED ON THE AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY TELEPHONES

2/ BASED ON THE AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES

3/ BASED ON THE NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER

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TABLE 5 NUMBER OF TELEPHONES IN THE UNITED STATES
AS OF THE CLOSE OF THE YEAR 1877-1972

YEAR	NUMBER	YEAR	NUMBER	YEAR	NUMBER
1877	9 300	1909	6 995 700	1941	23 521 000
1878	26 300	1910	7 635 400	1942	24 919 000
1879	30 900	1911	8 348 700	1943	26 381 000
1880	47 900	1912	8 729 592*	1944	26 859 000
1881	71 400	1913	9 542 500	1945	27 867 000
1882	97 700	1914	10 046 400	1946	31 611 000
1883	123 600	1915	10 523 500	1947	34 867 000
1884	147 700	1916	11 241 400	1948	38 205 000
1885	155 800	1917	11 716 520*	1949	40 708 000
1886	167 100	1918	12 077 600	1950	43 003 800
1887	180 700	1919	12 668 500	1951	45 636 400
1888	195 000	1920	13 411 400	1952	48 056 300
1889	211 500	1921	13 875 200	1953	50 373 000
1890	227 900	1922	14 347 395*	1954	52 813 000
1891	239 300	1923	15 369 500	1955	56 243 200
1892	260 800	1924	16 208 900	1956	60 190 400
1893	266 400	1925	16 935 900	1957	63 620 900
1894	285 400	1926	17 746 200	1958	66 629 600
1895	339 500	1927	18 522 767*	1959	70 819 000
1896	404 300	1928	19 341 300	1960	74 341 100
1897	515 200	1929	20 233 000	1961	77 425 400
1898	680 800	1930	20 201 600	1962	80 971 700
1899	1 004 700	1931	19 707 600	1963	84 450 300
1900	1 355 900	1932	17 424 406*	1964	88 787 400
1901	1 801 100	1933	16 710 900	1965	93 658 800
1902	2 371 044	1934	16 968 800	1966	98 785 600
1903	2 808 900	1935	17 424 000	1967	103 751 900
1904	3 353 200	1936	18 433 000	1968	109 255 600
1905	4 126 900	1937	19 453 401*	1969	115 200 700
1906	4 932 800	1938	19 953 000	1970	120 221 000
1907	6 118 578*	1939	20 831 000	1971	125 140 800
1908	6 483 600	1940	21 928 000	1972	131 602 500

NOTE -- REPRESENTS ESTIMATED DATA TAKEN FROM UNOFFICIAL SOURCES EXCEPT AS INDICATED BY AN ASTERISK
WHICH FIGURES WERE TAKEN FROM THE U S CENSUS OF TELEPHONES INCLUDES ALASKA AND HAWAII
BEGINNING WITH THE YEAR 1959

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TABLE 6 -- TELEPHONE DEVELOPMENT BY STATES
DECEMBER 31, 1972

STATE	TOTAL NUMBER OF TELEPHONES	DISTRIBUTION OF TELEPHONES				RESIDENT POPULATION	TOTAL TELEPHONES PER 100 POPULATION	PERCENT HOUSEHOLDS WITH TELEPHONE SERVICE 2/			
		BY OWNERSHIP		BY TYPE OF SERVICE							
		BELL COMPANIES 1/	ALL OTHER	BUSINESS	RESIDENCE						
ALABAMA	1,762,900	1,482,100	280,800	429,700	1,333,200	3,520,000	50.08	83			
ALASKA	135,700	0	135,700	59,700	76,000	328,000	41.37	3/			
ARIZONA	1,166,400	1,127,900	38,500	343,300	823,100	1,985,000	58.76	89			
ARKANSAS	993,500	721,600	271,900	249,600	743,900	1,989,000	49.95	81			
CALIFORNIA	14,381,400	11,328,400	3,053,000	4,184,400	10,197,000	20,556,000	69.96	95			
COLORADO	1,592,500	1,567,900	24,600	481,000	1,111,500	2,393,000	66.55	98			
CONNECTICUT	2,185,000	2,172,700	12,300	576,300	1,608,700	3,088,000	70.76	100			
DELAWARE	410,300	410,300	0	109,600	300,700	567,000	72.36	99			
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	959,100	959,100	0	479,300	479,800	745,000	128.74	98			
FLORIDA	5,103,100	3,419,700	1,683,400	1,404,800	3,698,300	7,366,000	69.28	94			
GEORGIA	2,820,800	2,439,200	381,600	748,000	2,072,800	4,745,000	59.45	87			
HAWAII	498,600	0	498,600	188,500	310,100	824,000	60.51	3/			
IDAHO	414,600	329,900	84,700	113,300	301,300	765,000	54.19	87			
ILLINOIS	7,540,900	6,320,300	1,320,600	2,100,900	5,540,000	11,272,000	67.79	94			
INDIANA	3,201,700	2,093,200	1,108,500	760,200	2,441,500	5,307,000	60.33	90			
IOWA	1,751,100	1,221,300	529,800	409,500	1,341,600	2,892,000	60.55	93			
KANSAS	1,411,900	1,174,300	237,600	347,900	1,064,000	2,259,000	62.50	93			
KENTUCKY	1,610,100	1,161,900	448,200	404,100	1,206,000	3,311,000	48.63	82			
LOUISIANA	1,980,600	1,873,500	107,100	492,200	1,488,400	3,733,000	53.06	89			
MAINE	553,600	494,500	59,100	135,300	418,300	1,036,000	53.43	94			
MARYLAND	2,739,500	2,736,200	3,300	737,100	2,002,400	4,080,000	67.15	96			
MASSACHUSETTS	3,745,600	3,742,600	3,000	1,129,100	2,616,500	5,798,000	64.60	97			
MICHIGAN	5,586,000	4,918,500	667,500	1,393,000	4,193,000	9,117,000	61.27	95			
MINNESOTA	2,454,100	1,995,900	458,200	625,500	1,828,600	3,911,000	62.75	96			
MISSISSIPPI	1,032,400	982,800	49,600	242,800	789,600	2,270,000	45.48	76			
MISSOURI	2,979,500	2,434,600	544,900	784,000	2,195,500	4,766,000	62.52	91			
MONTANA	398,800	333,000	65,800	109,600	289,200	723,000	55.16	89			
NEBRASKA	974,800	575,800	399,000	243,000	731,800	1,533,000	63.59	96			
NEVADA	397,400	136,500	260,900	142,000	255,400	534,000	74.43	90			
NEW HAMPSHIRE	486,200	463,000	23,200	120,800	365,400	777,000	62.57	102			
NEW JERSEY	5,208,600	5,111,100	97,500	1,351,100	3,857,500	7,396,000	70.42	99			
NEW MEXICO	568,500	499,300	69,200	180,500	388,000	1,075,000	52.88	34			
NEW YORK	12,555,500	11,488,300	1,067,200	3,955,000	8,600,500	18,374,000	68.33	94			
NORTH CAROLINA	2,713,600	1,457,100	1,256,500	677,900	2,035,700	5,238,000	51.81	85			
NORTH DAKOTA	354,900	248,400	106,500	90,600	264,300	634,000	55.97	95			
OHIO	6,667,900	5,109,000	1,558,900	1,675,900	4,992,000	10,796,000	61.76	93			
OKLAHOMA	1,645,100	1,448,900	196,200	448,000	1,197,100	2,648,000	62.13	90			
OREGON	1,337,600	1,026,400	311,200	368,300	969,300	2,201,000	60.77	90			
PENNSYLVANIA	7,966,600	6,568,000	1,398,600	1,938,200	6,028,400	11,935,000	66.75	94			
RHODE ISLAND	573,600	573,600	0	152,300	421,300	971,000	59.07	95			
SOUTH CAROLINA	1,371,800	1,013,800	358,000	349,900	1,021,900	2,680,000	51.19	84			
SOUTH DAKOTA	366,800	299,600	67,200	83,000	283,800	681,000	53.86	92			
TENNESSEE	2,225,700	1,874,600	351,100	560,100	1,665,600	4,050,000	54.96	86			
TEXAS	7,122,400	5,920,400	1,202,000	2,014,400	5,108,000	11,745,000	60.64	87			
UTAH	683,500	660,600	22,900	186,000	497,500	1,140,000	59.96	94			
VERMONT	265,200	230,700	34,500	76,000	189,200	465,000	57.03	100			
VIRGINIA	2,812,400	2,221,100	591,300	790,700	2,021,700	4,785,000	58.78	91			
WASHINGTON	2,143,800	1,649,200	494,600	587,100	1,556,700	3,444,000	62.25	92			
WEST VIRGINIA	827,800	719,600	108,100	199,100	628,700	1,788,000	46.29	83			
WISCONSIN	2,606,500	1,871,300	735,200	696,600	1,909,900	4,539,000	57.43	95			
WYOMING	216,600	203,000	13,600	64,300	152,300	348,000	62.23	89			
UNITED STATES	131,602,500	108,810,700	22,791,700	35,989,500	95,613,000	209,123,000	62.93	4 / 92			

1/ INCLUDES 454,500 SERVICE TELEPHONES (NON-COMPANY TELEPHONES FOR WHICH SWITCHING SERVICE IS PROVIDED)

2/ HOUSEHOLDS WITH SERVICE ARE THE SUM OF RESIDENCE MAIN, APARTMENT HOUSE PBX AND RESIDENCE SERVICE MAIN TELEPHONES, AND OTHER RESIDENCE PBX SYSTEMS. THERE TENDS TO BE A SLIGHT OVERSTATEMENT OF THE PROPORTION OF HOUSEHOLDS WITH TELEPHONE SERVICE

3/ DATA NOT AVAILABLE

4/ EXCLUDING ALASKA AND HAWAII, FOR WHICH DATA IS UNAVAILABLE

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TABLE 7 TELEPHONE DEVELOPMENT IN LARGE EXCHANGE AREAS IN THE UNITED STATES
DECEMBER 31 1972

EXCHANGE OR ZONE AREA 1	NUMBER OF TELEPHONES			POPULATION (IN THOUSANDS)	TELEPHONES PER 100 POPULATION
	RESIDENCE	BUSINESS	TOTAL		
ABILENE, TEXAS	42,298	19,567	61,865	98	63 2
AKRON OHIO	243,816	79,494	323,310	473	68 3
ALBANY GEORGIA	42,653	15,309	57,932	95	60 9
ALBANY NEW YORK	96,049	65,318	161,367	191	84 6
ALBUQUERQUE NEW MEXICO	149,492	75,209	224,701	360	62 4
ALEXANDRIA VIRGINIA	152,051	43,716	195,767	279	70 1
ALLENTOWN PENNSYLVANIA	91,428	34,244	125,672	162	77 5
ALTOONA PENNSYLVANIA	41,733	10,789	52,562	81	64 9
AMARILLO, TEXAS	74,957	30,913	105,870	143	74 3
ANAHEIM CALIFORNIA	127,517	49,740	177,257	249	71 1
#ANCHORAGE ALASKA	43,296	28,984	72,280	139	52 0
ANDOVER INDIANA	44,713	12,875	57,588	90	63 9
ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN	64,723	40,524	105,247	126	83 3
APPLETON WISCONSIN	37,237	14,828	52,065	84	61 9
ARLINGTON MASSACHUSETTS	27,392	4,119	31,511	61	52 2
ARLINGTON TEXAS	57,043	20,105	77,148	110	70 3
ARLINGTON HEIGHTS ILLINOIS	64,290	16,812	81,102	129	62 7
ASHEVILLE NORTH CAROLINA	42,526	18,248	60,774	90	67 5
ATLANTA GEORGIA	512,465	266,493	778,958	972	80 1
AUGUSTA GEORGIA	76,916	34,255	111,171	201	55 3
ARVAOA COLORADO	(INCLUDED IN DENVER)				
AURORA COLORADO	(INCLUDED IN DENVER)				
AURORA ILLINOIS	54,899	18,769	73,668	114	64 6
AUSTIN TEXAS	153,221	73,744	226,965	349	65 0
BAKERSFIELD CALIFORNIA	96,022	34,715	130,737	213	61 4
BALTIMORE MARYLAND	834,651	309,844	1,144,495	1,671	68 5
BATON ROUGE LOUISIANA	147,500	58,000	205,500	305	67 4
BAYONNE NEW JERSEY	33,728	8,185	41,913	71	59 0
BEAUMONT TEXAS	54,367	23,278	77,645	119	65 3
BELLEVUE WASHINGTON	48,231	13,266	61,457	77	79 8
BERKELEY CALIFORNIA	(INCLUDED IN EAST BAY EXCHANGE)				
BERWYN ILLINOIS	30,707	5,926	36,633	59	62 3
BETHLEHEM PENNSYLVANIA	50,976	19,500	70,476	95	74 0
BILLINGS MONTANA	37,553	16,062	53,615	84	63 7
BINGHAMTON NEW YORK	57,248	26,270	83,518	123	67 7
BIRMINGHAM ALABAMA	253,573	94,361	347,934	515	67 5
BLOOMINGTON MINNESOTA	(INCLUDED IN MINNEAPOLIS ST PAUL)				
BOISE IDAHO	52,204	26,946	79,150	111	71 1
BOSTON MASSACHUSETTS	245,748	255,495	501,243	638	78 6
BOULDER COLORADO	(INCLUDED IN DENVER)				
BRIDGEPORT CONNECTICUT	114,913	50,237	165,150	245	67 4
BRISTOL CONNECTICUT	31,245	7,050	38,295	69	55 6
BROCKTON MASSACHUSETTS	48,190	13,794	61,984	114	54 5
BROOKLINE MASSACHUSETTS	46,847	28,938	75,785	82	92 4
BROWNSVILLE TEXAS	18,246	8,335	26,581	65	40 9
BUENA PARK CALIFORNIA	28,419	10,151	38,570	64	60 3
BUFFALO NEW YORK	304,900	127,287	432,187	767	56 4
CAMBRIEGE MASSACHUSETTS	46,519	57,624	104,143	101	103 2
CAMDEN N J	51,912	22,867	74,779	102	73 3
CANTON OHIO	89,812	28,306	118,118	184	64 1
CEDAR RAPIDS IOWA	77,300	25,100	102,400	145	70 6
CHAMPAIGN ILLINOIS	57,206	31,580	88,786	88	100 5
CHARLESTON SOUTH CAROLINA	110,309	43,490	153,718	258	59 5
CHARLESTON WEST VIRGINIA	60,905	33,903	94,808	206	46 0
CHARLOTTE NORTH CAROLINA	186,534	87,206	273,740	363	75 4
#CHATTANOOGA TENNESSEE	149,725	52,358	202,083	308	65 7
CHESTER PENNSYLVANIA	60,833	16,729	77,562	126	61 4
CHICAGO ILLINOIS	1,535,655	853,418	2,389,073	3,329	71 8
CHICOPEE MASSACHUSETTS	16,676	6,570	23,246	48	48 3
CHULA VISTA CALIFORNIA	(INCLUDED IN SAN DIEGO EXTENDED AREA)				
CICERO ILLINOIS	30,381	15,218	45,599	67	67 8
CINCINNATI OHIO	455,451	198,999	654,450	911	71 8
CLEVELAND OHIO	604,922	272,284	877,276	1,170	75 0
CLEVELAND HEIGHTS OHIO	(INCLUDED IN CLEVELAND)				
CLIFTON NEW JERSEY	(INCLUDED IN PASSAIC)				
COLORADO SPRINGS COLORADO	120,846	53,900	174,746	264	66 2
COLUMBIA SOUTH CAROLINA	136,966	62,966	199,932	305	65 5
COLUMBUS GEORGIA	(INCLUDED IN ATLANTA)				
COLUMBUS OHIO	308,605	141,246	453,884	551	82 4
CONCORD CALIFORNIA	56,936	15,243	72,179	124	58 2
CORPUS CHRISTI TEXAS	88,268	34,016	122,284	227	53 9
COSTA MESA CALIFORNIA	(INCLUDED IN NEWPORT BEACH)				
COUNCIL BLUFFS IOWA	35,200	7,700	42,900	69	62 5
COVINGTON KENTUCKY	83,294	18,888	102,182	189	54 1
CRANSTON RHODE ISLAND	(INCLUDED IN PROVIDENCE)				
CUYAHOGA FALLS OHIO	(INCLUDED IN AKRON)				
DALLAS TEXAS	439,812	245,959	685,771	897	76 5
DALY CITY CALIFORNIA	(INCLUDED IN SAN FRANCISCO)				
DANBURY CONNECTICUT	45,207	15,363	60,570	79	76 6
DANVILLE VIRGINIA	29,230	9,011	38,241	73	52 5
DAVENPORT IOWA	71,900	22,700	94,600	137	69 2
DAYTON OHIO	239,214	88,652	354,001	464	76 2
DEARBORN MICHIGAN	(INCLUDED IN DETROIT)				
DEARBORN HEIGHTS MICHIGAN	(INCLUDED IN DETROIT)				
DECATUR ILLINOIS	58,568	18,812	77,380	106	73 1
DENVER COLORADO	640,440	289,464	929,904	1,304	71 3
DES MOINES IOWA	166,600	66,300	232,900	270	86 2
#DES PLAINES ILLINOIS	43,749	29,092	72,841	97	74 8
DETROIT MICHIGAN	1,017,672	396,752	1,414,424	2,096	67 5
DUBUQUE IOWA	32,400	12,300	44,700	78	57 1
DULUTH MINNESOTA	64,000	21,300	85,300	124	68 8
#DURHAM NORTH CAROLINA	62,196	31,858	94,054	146	64 4
EAST BAY EXCHANGE CALIF	346,235	174,878	521,113	673	77 4
EAST LANSING MICHIGAN	(INCLUDED IN LANSING)				

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TABLE 7 --TELEPHONE DEVELOPMENT IN LARGE EXCHANGE AREAS IN THE UNITED STATES
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EXCHANGE OR ZONE AREA 1/	NUMBER OF TELEPHONES			POPULATION (IN THOUSANDS)	TELEPHONES PER 100 POPULATION
	RESIDENCE	BUSINESS	TOTAL		
EAST ORANGE, NEW JERSEY	88,772	29,911	118,683	152	77 9
EAST ST. LOUIS, ILLINOIS	42,939	11,933	54,872	114	48 1
#EL CAJON, CALIFORNIA			(INCLUDED IN SAN DIEGO EXTENDED AREA)		
EL PASO, TEXAS	138,128	67,823	205,951	368	56 0
ELGIN, ILLINOIS	38,094	12,869	50,963	78	65 5
ELIZABETH, NEW JERSEY	59,316	27,096	86,412	124	69 5
#ELYRIA, OHIO	35,987	15,171	51,158	94	54 3
#ERIE, PENNSYLVANIA	87,847	36,929	124,776	193	64 7
EUCLID, OHIO			(INCLUDED IN CLEVELAND)		
EUGENE-SPRINGFIELD, OREGON	80,685	29,623	110,308	175	63 2
EVANSTON, ILLINOIS	52,289	21,476	73,765	81	91 4
EVANSVILLE, INDIANA	79,518	30,194	109,712	158	69 4
#EVERETT, WASHINGTON	34,925	15,210	50,135	84	60 0
FALL RIVER, MASSACHUSETTS	54,858	14,496	69,354	141	49 2
FARGO, N.D. - MOORHEAD, MINN	53,300	23,800	77,100	107	71 9
#FAYETTEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA	71,137	28,040	99,177	215	46 1
FLINT, MICHIGAN	144,514	46,488	191,002	310	61 7
FLORISSANT, MISSOURI	48,213	5,232	53,445	108	49 3
FT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA	201,676	73,671	275,347	378	72 8
FORT SMITH, ARKANSAS	30,900	14,548	45,448	73	62 1
#FORT WAYNE, INDIANA	106,650	48,438	155,088	244	63 6
FORT WORTH, TEXAS	195,971	88,475	284,446	442	64 3
FRAMINGHAM, MASSACHUSETTS	38,224	15,270	53,494	82	65 4
FREMONT CITY, CALIFORNIA	78,186	15,634	93,820	185	50 7
FRESNO, CALIFORNIA	144,745	55,238	199,983	301	66 4
FULLERTON, CALIFORNIA	45,191	25,256	70,447	81	86 6
GADSDEN, ALABAMA	33,744	8,447	42,191	75	56 2
GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA	46,700	24,891	71,591	100	71 6
GALVESTON, TEXAS	30,251	15,083	45,334	65	70 3
GARDEN GROVE, CALIFORNIA	56,853	12,161	69,014	113	60 9
#GARLAND, TEXAS	N A	N A	53,698	93	57 9
GARY, INDIANA	91,086	23,011	114,097	203	56 1
GLENDALE, CALIFORNIA			(INCLUDED IN LOS ANGELES EXTENDED AREA)		
GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS	24,995	12,824	37,819	55	68 4
GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN	183,019	66,987	250,006	357	70 0
GREAT FALLS, MONTANA	34,802	13,444	48,246	81	59 9
GREEN BAY, WISCONSIN	52,193	21,251	73,444	123	59 8
GREENSBORO, NORTH CAROLINA	104,376	46,569	150,945	212	71 2
GREENVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA	96,546	37,768	134,314	213	63 1
HAMILTON, OHIO	49,250	14,664	63,914	110	58 2
HAMMOND, INDIANA	46,580	13,899	60,479	113	53 4
HARRISBURG, PENNSYLVANIA	123,090	56,498	179,588	206	87 1
HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT	183,442	111,518	294,960	369	79 8
HAYWARD, CALIFORNIA	90,850	27,993	118,843	201	59 1
HIALEAH, FLORIDA			(INCLUDED IN MIAMI)		
#HIGH POINT, NORTH CAROLINA	39,459	15,371	54,830	101	54 3
HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA	137,283	29,817	167,100	258	64 8
HOLYOKE, MASSACHUSETTS	36,733	13,408	50,141	88	57 1
#HONOLULU, HAWAII	169,964	135,881	305,845	350	87 4
HOUSTON, TEXAS	692,413	365,764	1,058,177	1,522	69 5
HUNTINGTON, WEST VIRGINIA	39,112	16,895	56,007	119	47 1
#HUNTINGTON BEACH, CALIFORNIA	83,377	10,822	94,199	140	67 4
HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA	80,375	45,625	126,000	183	68 8
INDEPENDENCE, MISSOURI	50,572	9,633	60,205	127	47 5
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA	427,831	165,333	593,164	753	78 8
#IRVING, TEXAS	N A	N A	59,822	109	54 8
JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI	105,775	45,739	151,514	265	57 2
JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA	255,803	98,641	354,444	515	68 8
JERSEY CITY, NEW JERSEY	121,619	46,435	168,054	301	55 8
JOLIET, ILLINOIS	55,598	19,106	77,704	134	57 9
KALAMAZOO, MICHIGAN	87,069	37,236	124,305	180	69 0
KANSAS CITY, KANSAS	110,355	38,111	148,466	215	69 0
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI	189,377	140,266	329,643	347	94 9
KENOSHA, WISCONSIN	38,202	12,082	50,284	98	51 1
KENT, OHIO	20,900	6,711	27,611	67	41 1
KETTERING, OHIO			(INCLUDED IN DAYTON)		
KNOXVILLE, TENNESSEE	115,562	52,169	167,731	275	61 1
#LA CROSSE, WISCONSIN	N A	N A	38,841	63	62 1
LAFAYETTE, LOUISIANA	43,895	18,271	62,166	100	62 2
LAKE CHARLES, LOUISIANA	46,923	16,962	63,855	112	56 9
LAKEWOOD, COLORADO			(INCLUDED IN DENVER)		
LAKEWOOD, OHIO			(INCLUDED IN CLEVELAND)		
LANCASTER, PENNSYLVANIA	66,557	29,132	95,689	118	80 9
LANSING, MICHIGAN	118,362	68,595	186,957	258	72 4
LAREDO, TEXAS	22,029	9,967	31,996	75	42 9
#LAS VEGAS, NEVADA	142,910	74,566	217,476	285	76 3
LAWRENCE, MASSACHUSETTS	52,122	20,062	72,184	125	57 7
LAWTON, OKLAHOMA	36,770	10,136	46,906	95	49 2
#LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY	86,326	42,493	128,819	179	71 9
#LIMA, OHIO	32,351	15,562	47,913	89	53 9
#LINCOLN, NEBRASKA	82,800	36,100	118,900	160	74 5
LINCOLN PARK, MICHIGAN			(INCLUDED IN DETROIT)		
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS	117,961	56,824	174,785	249	70 2
LIVONIA, MICHIGAN	119,367	30,074	149,441	277	53 9
#LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA			(INCLUDED IN LOS ANGELES EXTENDED AREA)		
LONGVIEW, TEXAS	32,969	12,743	45,712	71	64 4
#LORAIN, OHIO	35,220	8,491	43,711	116	37 7
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA					
EXTENDED AREA	3,481,361	1,585,828	5,076,189	6,717	75 4
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY	332,359	118,945	451,304	711	63 4
LOWELL, MASSACHUSETTS	68,624	19,640	88,264	163	54 1
LUBBOCK, TEXAS	86,835	37,211	124,046	174	71 2
LYNCHBURG, VIRGINIA	45,396	17,536	62,932	101	62 6
LYNN, MASSACHUSETTS	48,800	19,720	68,520	112	61 1
MACON, GEORGIA	68,112	24,662	92,774	176	52 6

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	RESIDENCE	BUSINESS	TOTAL		
MADISON WISCONSIN	101,563	60,226	161,789	217	74 5
MALDEN MASSACHUSETTS	25,234	7,651	32,885	57	58 1
MANCHESTER NEW HAMPSHIRE	44,619	20,225	64,844	112	57 8
#MANSFIELD OHIO	36,190	16,228	55,418	109	51 0
MASSILLON OHIO	28,983	5,529	34,512	67	51 6
MEDFORD MASSACHUSETTS	24,295	5,316	29,611	59	50 3
MEMPHIS TENNESSEE	350,186	120,788	470,974	753	62 5
MERIDEN CONNECTICUT	28,334	9,221	37,555	61	61 7
MESA ARIZONA	(INCLUDED IN PHOENIX)				
MIAMI FLORIDA	569,436	298,099	867,535	1,185	73 2
MIAMI BEACH FLORIDA	(INCLUDED IN MIAMI)				
MIDLAND TEXAS	36,232	17,681	53,913	66	82 1
MIDDLETON OHIO	30,208	10,715	40,923	66	62 1
MIDWEST CITY OKLAHOMA	(INCLUDED IN OKLAHOMA CITY)				
MILFORD CONNECTICUT	26,838	7,536	34,374	52	66 1
MILTON MASSACHUSETTS	26,943	4,547	31,490	52	60 3
MILWAUKEE WISCONSIN	517,941	225,627	743,568	1,150	64 6
MINNEAPOLIS-ST PAUL MINN	985,900	329,900	1,315,800	1,844	71 4
MOBILE ALABAMA	133,659	42,569	176,228	300	58 7
MODESTO CALIFORNIA	63,212	20,054	83,266	142	58 6
MONROE LOUISIANA	52,669	19,180	71,849	117	61 4
MONTGOMERY ALABAMA	85,559	31,815	117,374	178	65 9
MT VERNON NEW YORK	93,053	22,308	115,361	169	68 3
MTAINAIN VIEW CALIFORNIA	41,025	22,049	63,074	79	79 8
MUNCIE INDIANA	49,299	19,176	68,475	108	63 3
NASHVILLE TENNESSEE	221,073	98,201	319,274	460	69 5
NASHUA NEW HAMPSHIRE	33,629	14,870	48,499	75	64 6
NEW BEDFORD MASSACHUSETTS	63,723	19,212	82,935	150	55 4
NEW BRITAIN CONNECTICUT	43,560	14,320	57,880	99	58 7
NEW HAVEN CONNECTICUT	172,970	74,490	247,469	329	75 2
NEW ORLEANS LOUISIANA	423,294	165,178	588,472	918	64 1
NEW ROCHELLE NEW YORK	50,156	15,951	66,107	75	87 8
NEW YORK NEW YORK	3,703,018	2,219,110	5,922,128	7,915	74 8
NEWARK NEW JERSEY	193,140	124,262	317,402	158	69 2
NEWPORT BEACH CALIFORNIA	67,616	24,512	92,128	102	90 2
NEWPORT NEWS METRO AREA VA	122,888	58,539	181,427	250	72 6
NEWTON MASSACHUSETTS	50,880	19,795	70,675	90	78 4
NIAGARA FALLS NEW YORK	42,812	19,749	62,561	103	61 0
NORFOLK METRO AREA VA	276,599	95,107	371,706	639	58 1
NORMAN OKLAHOMA	(INCLUDED IN OKLAHOMA CITY)				
NORTH LITTLE ROCK ARKANSAS	(INCLUDED IN LITTLE ROCK)				
NORWALK CONNECTICUT	42,667	17,117	59,784	81	73 7
OAK LAWN ILLINOIS	78,699	14,316	93,015	176	52 9
OAK PARK ILLINOIS	37,419	10,196	47,615	62	76 8
OAKLAND CALIFORNIA	(INCLUDED IN EAST BAY EXCHANGE)				
OCEANSIDE CALIFORNIA	32,667	9,601	42,278	92	45 8
ODESSA TEXAS	46,356	17,204	63,560	96	66 5
OGDEN UTAH	54,056	16,722	70,778	121	58 5
OKLAHOMA CITY OKLAHOMA	334,200	144,352	478,552	670	71 4
OMAHA NEBRASKA	268,400	98,300	366,700	482	76 0
#ONTARIO CALIFORNIA	57,861	15,964	73,825	124	59 4
ORANGE CALIFORNIA	58,830	19,988	78,818	110	71 4
ORLANDO FLORIDA	137,462	65,666	203,128	300	67 8
OSHKOSH WISCONSIN	27,095	12,848	39,943	68	58 9
OVERLAND PARK KANSAS	77,739	13,421	91,160	130	70 2
OWENSBORO KENTUCKY	26,258	10,268	36,526	65	56 6
#OXNARD CALIFORNIA	61,657	18,965	80,622	148	54 5
PALO ALTO CALIFORNIA	72,858	59,289	132,147	135	97 9
PARMA OHIO	(INCLUDED IN CLEVELAND)				
PASADENA CALIFORNIA	(INCLUDED IN LOS ANGELES EXTENDED AREA)				
PASADENA TEXAS	(INCLUDED IN HOUSTON)				
PASSAIC NEW JERSEY	93,926	36,622	130,548	196	66 5
PATERSON NEW JERSEY	83,857	28,629	112,486	189	59 5
PAWTUCKET RHODE ISLAND	60,935	17,812	78,747	147	53 4
PENSACOLA FLORIDA	90,128	30,114	120,242	197	60 9
PEORIA ILLINOIS	113,138	43,833	155,971	199	78 4
PHILADELPHIA PENNSYLVANIA	1,134,451	440,241	1,574,692	1,947	80 9
PHOENIX ARIZONA	491,759	199,615	691,374	1,060	65 2
PINE BLUFF ARKANSAS	30,056	9,759	39,815	80	50 0
PIITTSBURGH PENNSYLVANIA	505,621	231,034	736,655	909	81 0
PITTSFIELD MASSACHUSETTS	28,406	13,722	42,128	61	69 4
#POMONA CALIFORNIA	101,075	36,674	137,749	216	63 7
POMPANO BEACH FLORIDA	88,250	21,206	109,456	160	68 4
PONTIAC MICHIGAN	73,181	27,255	100,436	154	65 1
PORT ARTHUR TEXAS	38,126	9,661	47,786	85	56 6
PORTLAND MAINE	49,589	25,785	75,374	107	70 7
PORTLAND OREGON	285,684	140,994	426,678	553	77 1
PROVO OREM UTAH	38,887	12,589	51,476	101	50 9
PROVIDENCE RHODE ISLAND	158,688	78,972	237,660	354	67 0
PUEBLO COLORADO	48,053	16,262	64,315	126	51 2
QUINCY MASSACHUSETTS	40,811	13,793	54,604	95	57 7
RACINE WISCONSIN	53,714	18,995	72,709	135	53 7
RALEIGH NORTH CAROLINA	96,241	46,165	142,406	190	75 0
READING PENNSYLVANIA	108,208	35,725	143,933	192	74 9
REDWOOD CITY CALIFORNIA	38,020	15,309	53,329	78	68 4
RENO NEVADA	62,786	33,409	96,195	135	71 3
REYNOLDSBURG OHIO	35,636	8,495	44,131	62	71 5
#RICHARDSON TEXAS	37,491	16,008	53,499	61	88 4
RICHMOND CALIFORNIA	63,307	19,846	83,153	135	61 6
RICHMOND VIRGINIA	219,952	103,626	323,578	422	76 8
RIVERSIDE CALIFORNIA	92,757	31,166	123,923	193	64 3
ROANKE VIRGINIA	79,451	26,934	106,385	165	64 6
ROCHESTER MINNESOTA	35,800	21,600	57,400	73	78 4
#ROCHESTER NEW YORK	231,452	125,624	357,076	562	63 6
ROCKFORD ILLINOIS	115,426	40,781	156,207	220	70 9

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	RESIDENCE	BUSINESS	TOTAL			
ROCK ISLAND, ILLINOIS	35,495	11,465	46,960	66	71 6	
ROME, NEW YORK	(NO DATA AS OF JAN 1, 1973)					
ROSEVILLE, MICHIGAN	(INCLUDED IN WARREN, MICHIGAN)					
ROYAL OAK, MICHIGAN	135,988	42,467	178,455	275	64 8	
SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA	281,702	116,468	398,170	564	70 6	
SAGINAW, MICHIGAN	82,764	26,431	109,195	181	60 3	
ST CLAIR SHORES, MICHIGAN	(INCLUDED IN WARREN, MICHIGAN)					
ST JOSEPH, MISSOURI	42,482	13,682	56,164	87	64 4	
ST LOUIS, MISSOURI	360,430	208,170	568,600	847	67 1	
ST PAUL, MINNESOTA	(INCLUDED IN MINN -ST PAUL, MINNESOTA)					
*ST PETERSBURG, FLORIDA	180,532	56,392	236,924	392	60 4	
SALEM, OREGON	55,731	22,222	77,953	126	62 1	
SALINAS, CALIFORNIA	36,381	13,625	50,006	80	62 5	
SALT LAKE CITY UTAH	252,336	102,791	355,127	549	64 7	
*SAN ANGELO, TEXAS	N A	N A	43,351	71	61 3	
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS	267,732	102,028	369,760	660	56 0	
*SAN BERNARDINO, CALIFORNIA	56,618	26,517	85,135	141	60 6	
SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA	EXTENDED AREA	591,795	221,689	813,484	1,154	70 5
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA	410,425	321,152	731,577	777	94 2	
SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA	326,079	119,067	445,146	720	61 8	
SAN MATEO, CALIFORNIA	75,475	26,782	102,257	133	76 9	
SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA	201,690	80,983	282,673	368	76 8	
*SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA	78,401	33,606	112,007	143	78 2	
SANTA CLARA, CALIFORNIA	(INCLUDED IN SAN JOSE)					
*SANTA ROSA, CALIFORNIA	50,603	18,052	68,655	101	68 0	
SARASOTA, FLORIDA	64,294	22,180	86,474	110	78 6	
SAVANNAH, GEORGIA	83,068	32,174	115,242	195	59 1	
SCHENECTADY, NEW YORK	88,949	31,549	120,598	168	71 8	
SCOTTSDALE, ARIZONA	(INCLUDED IN PHOENIX)					
SCRANTON, PENNSYLVANIA	62,537	23,222	85,759	124	68 9	
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON	355,148	189,523	544,671	691	78 8	
SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA	124,529	43,032	167,561	276	60 8	
SIMI, CALIFORNIA	29,166	3,866	33,032	71	46 6	
SIOUX CITY, IOWA	48,700	16,800	65,500	89	74 0	
SIOUX FALLS, SOUTH DAKOTA	42,300	16,600	58,900	81	72 5	
SKOKIE, ILLINOIS	93,062	43,091	136,153	149	91 7	
SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS	32,721	8,561	41,282	91	45 3	
SOUTH BEND, INDIANA	88,642	34,783	123,425	180	68 6	
SOUTHFIELD, MICHIGAN	51,018	41,551	92,569	75	124 1	
SPARTANBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA	51,290	19,168	70,458	128	55 2	
SPokane, WASHINGTON	130,027	47,261	177,288	294	60 3	
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS	81,665	38,316	119,981	141	85 0	
SPRINGFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS	97,058	45,421	142,479	220	64 7	
SPRINGFIELD, MISSOURI	73,045	29,563	102,608	142	72 2	
SPRINGFIELD, OHIO	55,151	16,611	71,762	113	63 5	
STAMFORD, CONNECTICUT	66,359	32,103	98,462	123	80 3	
*STERLING HEIGHTS, MICHIGAN	(INCLUDED IN WARREN, MICHIGAN)					
STOCKTON, CALIFORNIA	82,170	30,392	112,562	196	57 4	
SUNNYVALE, CALIFORNIA	48,329	36,391	84,720	103	82 3	
SYRACUSE, NEW YORK	164,599	86,435	251,034	354	70 9	
TACOMA, WASHINGTON	142,179	46,025	188,204	301	62 5	
*TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA	44,793	34,492	79,285	103	76 9	
*TAMPA, FLORIDA	202,868	88,525	291,393	512	56 9	
TAYLOR, MICHIGAN	(INCLUDED IN DETROIT)					
TEMPE, ARIZONA	(INCLUDED IN PHOENIX)					
#TERRE HAUTE, INDIANA	45,869	21,340	67,209	113	59 6	
#TEXARKANA, TEXAS	N A	N A	45,590	64	71 3	
#THOUSAND OAKS, CALIFORNIA	30,231	9,228	39,459	60	66 1	
TOLEDO, OHIO	208,155	76,474	284,889	416	68 5	
TOPEKA, KANSAS	69,174	29,538	98,712	133	74 1	
TORRANCE, CALIFORNIA	(INCLUDED IN LOS ANGELES EXTENDED AREA)					
TRENTON, NEW JERSEY	60,919	32,963	93,882	150	62 5	
TROY, NEW YORK	58,964	18,092	77,056	138	56 0	
TUCSON, ARIZONA	168,249	65,058	233,307	397	60 2	
TULSA, OKLAHOMA	220,713	96,964	317,677	454	70 0	
TUSCALOOSA, ALABAMA	47,078	16,773	63,851	123	51 7	
TYLER, TEXAS	41,481	14,871	56,532	86	65 9	
UNION CITY, NEW JERSEY	83,678	27,568	111,246	181	61 4	
UTICA, NEW YORK	63,222	26,728	89,950	153	58 9	
VALLEJO, CALIFORNIA	37,166	12,968	50,134	80	62 7	
VENTURA, CALIFORNIA	31,937	12,374	44,311	64	69 4	
VINELAND, NEW JERSEY	30,889	10,162	41,051	63	64 9	
WACO, TEXAS	57,064	24,109	81,173	153	53 1	
WALTHAM, MASSACHUSETTS	30,739	30,245	60,984	69	87 9	
WARREN, MICHIGAN	200,858	56,159	257,057	459	56 0	
*#WARREN, OHIO	46,422	17,565	63,987	117	54 7	
WARWICK, RHODE ISLAND	25,065	7,159	32,221	52	62 2	
WASHINGTON, D C	479,863	476,089	955,952	746	128 1	
WATERBURY, CONNECTICUT	59,160	23,363	82,523	119	69 2	
WATERLOO, IOWA	46,000	13,900	56,900	89	67 2	
WAUWATOSA, WISCONSIN	(INCLUDED IN MILWAUKEE)					
WAUKEEGAN, ILLINOIS	54,999	27,055	82,054	141	58 3	
WEST ALLIS, WISCONSIN	(INCLUDED IN MILWAUKEE)					
WEST HAVEN, CONNECTICUT	(INCLUDED IN NEW HAVEN EXCHANGE)					
WESTLAND, MICHIGAN	(INCLUDED IN LIVONIA)					
#WESTMINISTER, CALIFORNIA	51,121	17,071	68,192	113	60 5	
WEST PALM BEACH, FLORIDA	162,158	53,780	215,938	311	69 4	
WEYMOUTH, MASSACHUSETTS	23,547	4,530	28,077	59	47 3	
WHITE PLAINS, NEW YORK	45,458	42,233	87,691	106	83 0	
WICHITA, KANSAS	125,114	61,777	186,891	256	73 1	
WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS	45,655	21,359	67,014	110	61 1	
WILKES-BARRE, PENNSYLVANIA	44,437	17,361	61,798	93	66 4	
WILLOUGHBY, OHIO	24,251	7,395	31,646	54	59 1	

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TABLE 7 TELEPHONE DEVELOPMENT IN LARGE EXCHANGE AREAS IN THE UNITED STATES
DECEMBER 31 1972 - CONTINUED

EXCHANGE OR ZONE AREA 1/	NUMBER OF TELEPHONES			POPULATION (IN THOUSANDS)	TELEPHONES PER 100 POPULATION
	RESIDENCE	BUSINESS	TOTAL		
WILMINGTON DELAWARE	126 157	60 350	186 507	228	81 7
WINSTON-SALEM NORTH CAROLINA	97 535	38 700	136 235	192	71 0
#WINTER PARK FLORIDA	66 375	21 643	88 018	133	66 4
WORCESTER MASSACHUSETTS	81 099	45 142	126 241	198	63 7
WORTHINGTON OHIO	38 008	10 082	48 090	64	75 1
WYOMING MICHIGAN		(INCLUDED IN GRAND RAPIDS)			
YONKERS NEW YORK	20 129	62 632	82 761	137	60 5
#YORK PENNSYLVANIA	61 212	26 715	87 927	123	71 4
YOUNGSTOWN OHIO	133 605	36 207	169 812	268	63 4
ZANESVILLE OHIO	27 153	7 724	34 877	56	62 0

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1. THE AREAS ARE GENERALLY LARGER THAN THE CORPORATE AREAS OF THE CITIES THEY SERVE

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TABLE 8 - SELECTED DATA SHOWN BY STATES OR OTHER AREAS, OF TELEPHONE CARRIERS
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STATE OR OTHER AREA	MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	MILES OF AERIAL WIRE	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	CENTRAL OFFICES	STATE TAXES 3/	NUMBER OF CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 1/	
							LOCAL (IN THOUSANDS)	TOLL (IN THOUSANDS)
ALABAMA	12,127,476	74,491	2,163	8,274	263	14,445,391	3,349,011	119,804
ALASKA	13,973	9,322	571	1,773	12	240,286	10,313	13,706
ARIZONA	9,283,612	61,746	7,952	3,998	200	26,206,237	1,892,990	87,922
ARKANSAS	4,780,488	84,800	1,650	924	214	8,184,736	1,357,103	109,048
CALIFORNIA	74,788,058	225,686	14,806	17,065	1,595	199,511,391	17,748,081	1,445,536
COLORADO	10,655,221	120,749	6,060	4,185	301	25,626,227	2,692,300	140,588
CONNECTICUT	13,443,747	54,732	5,012	941	253	36,560,650	3,078,595	331,383
DELAWARE	2,626,234	3,990	788	95	56	2,778,899	590,900	38,023
DIST OF COLUMBIA	4,614,967	0	279	52	115	11,142,052	1,751,000	67,365
FLORIDA	24,296,076	59,284	14,886	3,723	359	46,149,718	6,161,600	292,600
GEORGIA	19,255,948	144,160	12,668	3,282	371	26,535,956	5,407,070	228,219
HAWAII	1,672,257	9,096	771	3,051	104	5,708,907	1,245,895	10,146
IDAHO	2,066,803	50,002	31	1,877	162	6,504,238	587,150	49,536
ILLINOIS	38,745,598	37,233	16,130	4,172	719	152,937,610	9,525,200	537,963
INDIANA	17,609,218	112,832	12,621	2,616	514	43,622,624	5,289,026	285,674
IOWA	6,447,907	71,502	8,545	1,730	245	17,764,237	1,744,600	111,676
KANSAS	6,344,998	103,781	5,594	1,870	268	23,046,027	1,667,200	128,486
KENTUCKY	7,648,900	80,732	1,106	2,555	277	14,583,474	2,254,100	106,064
LOUISIANA	11,954,124	71,061	2,488	1,704	331	25,505,510	4,366,995	152,450
MAINE	3,348,858	39,971	11	1,096	178	7,063,665	636,200	66,007
MARYLAND	17,838,095	70,772	6,374	1,253	434	47,640,246	4,550,700	209,233
MASSACHUSETTS	23,927,565	38,130	5,502	1,634	525	67,460,546	5,863,200	624,761
MICHIGAN	33,273,159	127,936	3,324	2,335	862	69,708,100	9,278,112	565,864
MINNESOTA	12,768,056	73,769	987	2,324	302	30,046,358	3,186,000	119,456
MISSISSIPPI	7,419,736	71,137	5,481	2,523	246	17,754,622	1,846,100	105,972
MISSOURI	15,769,640	96,603	7,018	1,959	359	45,429,994	4,022,000	262,554
MONTANA	1,420,541	95,363	34	4,196	163	7,254,836	474,238	39,012
NEBRASKA	3,462,367	34,652	10,114	3,242	158	9,185,693	951,413	45,931
NEVADA	1,169,175	30,893	176	4,737	53	831,041	225,947	23,295
NEW HAMPSHIRE	3,631,722	36,599	175	699	146	6,100,514	518,200	74,704
NEW JERSEY	30,165,204	42,331	10,507	1,559	546	84,648,316	6,585,707	1,239,154
NEW MEXICO	3,134,299	64,219	7,519	3,747	124	5,740,155	959,913	49,075
NEW YORK	71,160,125	253,746	15,207	4,235	1,509	360,802,215	17,992,622	1,166,401
NORTH CAROLINA	12,511,508	135,019	5,466	2,252	257	26,603,341	3,024,632	136,718
NORTH DAKOTA	1,188,548	38,660	31	2,188	145	4,331,325	335,405	26,682
OHIO	33,619,400	173,065	25,835	4,143	1,069	96,109,928	10,199,966	507,064
OKLAHOMA	9,076,028	120,263	1,545	1,947	322	18,280,967	2,485,524	184,664
OREGON	7,660,487	66,575	2,524	3,349	241	20,766,047	2,139,886	150,967
PENNSYLVANIA	32,300,519	174,928	16,417	3,363	826	78,516,938	9,070,121	625,349
RHODE ISLAND	4,314,309	6,961	446	210	86	10,272,506	883,500	76,223
SOUTH CAROLINA	8,222,964	82,664	5,320	5,111	181	18,698,421	2,215,885	94,546
SOUTH DAKOTA	1,489,956	52,471	353	2,127	150	4,151,577	397,000	25,179
TENNESSEE	14,895,891	143,562	1,279	3,927	350	36,028,094	4,422,327	170,890
TEXAS	45,967,123	262,237	13,175	6,667	1,150	87,640,387	12,746,218	698,207
UTAH	3,828,204	32,251	2,129	2,700	112	8,005,518	1,211,600	60,903
VERMONT	1,711,092	28,124	1	370	115	3,143,658	277,700	46,495
VIRGINIA	17,634,459	73,855	10,599	5,239	356	26,360,556	3,876,013	218,402
WASHINGTON	13,161,308	80,372	647	3,755	367	39,730,297	3,370,941	216,559
WEST VIRGINIA	5,177,191	28,011	3,014	1,954	211	9,128,803	1,438,310	104,447
WISCONSIN	11,301,539	78,649	1,970	1,956	256	24,352,677	2,672,700	155,706
WYOMING	1,181,800	46,837	10,237	2,677	93	2,919,292	271,852	24,837
UNDISTRIBUTED TRANSFERRED TO CONSTRUCTION DEFERRED STATE INCOME TAXES	0	0	0	0	0	-2,229,466	0	0
UNITED STATES	722,106,473	4,075,824	287,538	153,371	18,251	1,914,794,694	188,849,061	12,371,446
CANADA	0	0	0	0	0	3,062,768	0	0
CUBA	0	0	0	0	0	202,538	0	0
GUAM	0	0	13	0	0	2,635	0	0
PHILLIPINES	0	0	0	0	0	1,330	0	0
PUERTO RICO	2,011,092	9,504	132	391	66	11,007,843	525,447	11,131
VIRGIN ISLANDS	210,815	1,472	0	455	5	184,414	102,847	1,171
OCEAN CABLE	0	0	27,885	0	0	0	0	0
GRAND TOTAL	724,328,380	4,086,800	315,568	154,217	18,322	1,929,256,222	189,477,355	12,383,748

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STATE OR OTHER AREA	COMPANY TELEPHONES						
	TOTAL 2/	BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD			BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER		
		ELECTRONIC	MANUAL	DIAL	BUSINESS	COIN	RESIDENCE
ALABAMA	1,570,016	27,724	0	1,541,787	365,138	16,490	1,188,388
ALASKA	6,292	0	0	6,292	2,528	78	3,685
ARIZONA	1,132,459	77,941	0	1,053,953	313,679	14,215	804,565
ARKANSAS	803,895	0	0	803,372	196,965	13,666	593,264
CALIFORNIA	11,485,778	464,986	1,723	11,161,347	3,310,688	152,635	8,022,455
COLORADO	1,560,780	198,912	0	1,361,530	450,324	19,929	1,090,527
CONNECTICUT	2,184,986	46,765	0	2,138,052	551,175	25,125	1,608,686
DELAWARE	410,289	0	0	410,157	104,435	5,111	300,743
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	955,952	201,536	0	754,046	463,290	12,799	479,863
FLORIDA	3,402,889	118,812	0	3,282,515	896,850	42,085	2,463,954
GEORGIA	2,596,119	67,700	0	2,528,110	660,908	28,841	1,906,370
HAWAII	498,593	1,311	0	496,462	184,649	3,859	310,085
IDAHO	397,709	0	0	397,542	104,346	4,934	288,429
ILLINOIS	6,315,247	625,000	0	5,689,005	1,697,643	90,385	4,527,219
INDIANA	2,944,354	167,996	0	2,774,942	682,919	29,775	2,231,660
IOWA	1,220,033	45,522	0	1,174,374	289,151	15,421	915,461
KANSAS	1,168,379	36,331	0	1,131,463	284,677	15,127	868,575
KENTUCKY	1,143,933	17,383	0	1,126,102	263,188	15,169	865,576
LOUISIANA	1,860,006	17,014	3,954	1,837,872	439,133	21,914	1,398,959
MAINE	492,914	0	0	492,731	117,294	6,719	368,901
MARYLAND	2,704,697	126,967	0	2,576,346	668,223	36,817	1,999,657
MASSACHUSETTS	3,740,666	167,038	0	3,572,918	1,061,381	65,666	2,613,619
MICHIGAN	5,425,734	346,178	2,445	5,075,504	1,300,499	58,539	4,066,696
MINNESOTA	1,991,453	125,854	0	1,865,301	512,923	20,956	1,457,574
MISSISSIPPI	966,938	16,510	0	950,254	219,089	11,375	736,474
MISSOURI	2,433,586	304,157	0	2,126,414	630,810	35,062	1,767,714
MONTANA	341,914	0	0	341,433	91,787	5,071	245,056
NEBRASKA	593,891	53,866	0	539,710	140,588	7,261	446,042
NEVADA	154,435	2,815	430	151,031	53,204	2,885	98,326
NEW HAMPSHIRE	462,953	0	0	462,792	108,764	7,400	346,789
NEW JERSEY	5,087,227	512,668	0	4,574,064	1,224,984	80,118	3,782,125
NEW MEXICO	533,763	11,289	0	522,094	155,437	7,319	371,007
NEW YORK	11,592,471	632,561	0	10,958,445	3,491,033	200,781	7,900,657
NORTH CAROLINA	1,652,894	22,783	0	1,629,776	420,783	16,935	1,215,176
NORTH DAKOTA	246,100	0	0	246,155	65,128	2,630	178,342
OHIO	6,112,550	362,057	0	5,749,336	1,433,024	71,624	4,607,902
OKLAHOMA	1,508,442	9,382	0	1,497,533	395,691	20,863	1,091,888
OREGON	1,253,739	65,022	0	1,187,599	339,845	8,846	905,048
PENNSYLVANIA	6,714,585	640,689	0	6,072,694	1,555,174	101,511	5,057,900
RHOE ISLAND	573,588	65,001	0	508,525	141,890	10,444	421,254
SOUTH CAROLINA	1,127,023	37,539	0	1,089,248	280,534	13,451	833,038
SOUTH DAKOTA	296,536	0	0	296,491	73,822	3,623	219,091
TENNESSEE	2,086,565	60,553	0	2,025,365	516,695	21,698	1,548,172
TEXAS	6,630,004	211,915	0	6,412,699	1,772,261	102,071	4,755,672
UTAH	644,863	15,756	0	628,825	155,865	7,398	481,600
VERMONT	230,754	0	0	230,660	64,164	4,309	162,241
VIRGINIA	2,295,543	95,053	0	2,198,696	609,047	31,166	1,655,330
WASHINGTON	2,004,720	67,628	0	1,936,468	522,433	18,581	1,463,706
WEST VIRGINIA	780,344	1,039	0	779,202	182,448	9,242	588,654
WISCONSIN	1,871,219	213,934	0	1,656,722	510,573	23,986	1,336,660
WYOMING	207,664	0	0	207,277	58,627	2,640	146,397
UNDISTRIBUTED	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TRANSFERRED TO CONSTRUCTION	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DEFERRED STATE INCOME TAXES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UNITED STATES	114,417,484	6,283,187	8,552	108,088,231	30,135,706	1,544,545	82,737,172
CANADA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CUBA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GUAM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PHILIPPINES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PUERTO RICO	350,919	0	0	350,919	171,390	3,543	175,986
VIRGIN ISLANDS	30,284	0	0	30,284	14,474	354	15,456
OCEAN CABLE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRAND TOTAL	114,798,687	6,283,187	8,552	108,469,434	30,321,570	1,548,442	82,928,614

¹ PARTLY ESTIMATED^{2/} INCLUDES 37,406 MOBILE TELEPHONES NOT CLASSIFIED BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD³ INCLUDES COUNTY, MUNICIPAL AND OTHER TAXING DISTRICT TAXES EXCLUDES EXCISE TAXES COLLECTED BY TELEPHONE CARRIERS FROM USERS OF TELEPHONE SERVICE

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TABLE 9 --SELECTED DATA SHOWING DEVELOPMENT THROUGH THE YEARS 1939 TO 1972, INCLUSIVE,
OF TELEPHONE CARRIERS FILING ANNUAL REPORTS WITH THE COMMISSION

(FIGURES SHOWN IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT NUMBER OF CARRIERS AND AVERAGE COMPENSATION PER EMPLOYEE)

YEAR	NUMBER OF CARRIERS*	BOOK COST OF TELEPHONE PLANT	DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION RESERVES		CAPITAL STOCK	FUNDED DEBT
			AMOUNT	RATIO TO BOOK COST		
			(PERCENT)			
1939	78	\$4,904,828	\$1,378,177	28.10	\$2,109,919	\$1,073,521
1940	78	5,071,277	1,437,727	28.35	2,112,169	1,213,739
1941	78	5,389,337	1,525,542	28.31	2,088,152	1,470,694
1942	78	5,648,246	1,647,995	29.18	2,101,493	1,506,676
1943	75	5,745,128	1,814,573	31.58	2,112,777	1,494,144
1944	77	5,852,848	1,986,575	33.94	2,166,489	1,422,755
1945	76	6,056,982	2,166,601	35.77	2,246,378	1,388,939
1946	74	6,681,967	2,349,391	35.16	2,303,372	1,837,304
1947	73	7,786,202	2,513,296	32.28	2,415,575	2,845,503
1948	71	9,106,035	2,664,208	29.26	2,602,658	3,531,523
1949	71	9,983,486	2,795,295	28.00	2,820,390	3,792,525
1950	71	10,702,322	2,979,466	27.84	3,195,318	3,778,571
1951	56	11,546,813	3,186,344	27.60	3,690,655	3,842,519
1952	54	12,608,517	3,411,441	27.06	4,289,166	3,954,391
1953	54	13,749,883	3,618,086	26.31	4,651,386	4,358,808
1954	52	14,898,749	3,836,432	25.75	5,294,639	4,196,078
1955	53	16,224,354	4,097,691	25.26	5,967,496	4,612,412
1956	56	18,081,317	4,332,267	23.96	6,907,417	4,871,770
1957	54	20,316,809	4,607,306	22.68	7,179,572	6,010,766
1958	54	21,998,474	4,898,318	22.27	7,857,643	6,457,777
1959	53	23,692,805	5,239,801	22.12	8,020,838	6,885,769
1960	52	25,714,235	5,576,903	21.69	8,383,044	7,719,910
1961	56	27,711,621	5,946,518	21.46	8,867,462	7,805,341
1962	60	29,937,531	6,347,890	21.20	9,138,920	8,878,896
1963	60	32,289,936	6,839,063	21.18	9,265,924	9,274,572
1964	60	34,959,502	7,443,262	21.29	9,812,711	9,447,567
1965	54	37,966,952	8,105,441	21.35	10,036,075	9,874,221
1966	55	41,313,673	8,901,731	21.55	10,286,405	11,277,543
1967	57	44,809,744	9,842,946	21.97	10,364,477	12,742,173
1968	55	48,866,094	10,981,086	22.47	10,605,657	14,119,367
1969	57	53,694,521	12,083,558	22.50	10,701,941	15,667,330
1970	56	59,872,291	13,216,499	22.07	10,804,436	19,937,083
1971	60	66,322,190	14,452,725	21.79	11,144,378	23,328,750
1972	61	73,315,480	15,649,889	21.35	11,273,960	26,433,177
YEAR	PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	TOTAL EARNED SURPLUS	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	DIVIDENDS DECLARED	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	TOLL SERVICE REVENUES
1939	\$269,975	\$327,866	\$40,251	\$185,026	\$793,271	\$346,570
1940	269,975	358,695	40,499	185,080	839,053	369,733
1941	269,975	374,179	46,287	184,481	901,806	435,171
1942	269,975	366,925	48,701	182,915	955,724	556,934
1943	274,401	376,184	50,117	182,474	1,014,725	682,841
1944	298,139	370,502	47,248	186,236	1,051,611	765,717
1945	329,270	358,150	45,803	193,206	1,107,874	867,036
1946	346,929	362,950	42,079	199,314	1,236,843	899,301
1947	387,921	327,652	64,017	203,978	1,354,642	908,033
1948	463,674	328,484	90,561	218,755	1,598,556	1,061,270
1949	522,889	343,105	110,064	234,251	1,800,682	1,126,088
1950	626,252	445,662	113,355	269,733	2,058,067	1,245,036
1951	800,650	508,809	115,261	303,375	2,258,926	1,403,479
1952	1,017,983	575,948	115,945	346,388	2,516,731	1,534,854
1953	1,145,285	674,997	115,509	398,972	2,777,054	1,641,990
1954	1,364,050	796,883	125,665	449,585	2,983,317	1,796,011
1955	1,643,128	992,032	130,717	497,726	3,252,550	2,048,868
1956	1,797,195	1,207,294	144,915	563,287	3,554,190	2,276,538
1957	1,878,281	1,439,719	176,639	626,289	3,852,221	2,469,212
1958	2,127,238	1,774,047	220,409	670,070	4,176,700	2,614,171
1959	2,183,570	2,175,669	228,203	754,344	4,503,749	2,923,586
1960	2,337,520	2,625,093	263,312	795,569	4,822,970	3,148,120
1961	3,003,709	3,054,178	289,691	900,895	5,095,424	3,385,783
1962	3,312,794	3,529,084	315,323	953,547	5,412,217	3,663,073
1963	3,457,462	4,091,602	349,595	970,754	5,742,359	3,951,760
1964	4,567,600	4,697,259	362,493	1,125,516	6,011,157	4,447,294
1965	4,872,059	5,355,367	371,524	1,191,388	6,363,827	4,885,548
1966	5,211,825	6,109,961	418,648	1,300,134	6,789,375	5,595,778
1967	5,288,853	6,940,611	506,199	1,348,495	7,207,809	6,099,846
1968	5,502,806	7,627,122	592,757	1,455,956	7,710,135	6,778,755
1969	5,524,051	8,422,883	687,329	1,502,127	8,369,152	7,804,444
1970	5,549,978	9,151,977	937,378	1,588,980	9,115,752	8,444,865
1971	6,921,164	9,809,524	1,277,690	1,659,838	9,917,350	9,343,710
1972	7,683,116	10,591,395	1,518,581	1,829,979	11,203,227	10,586,938

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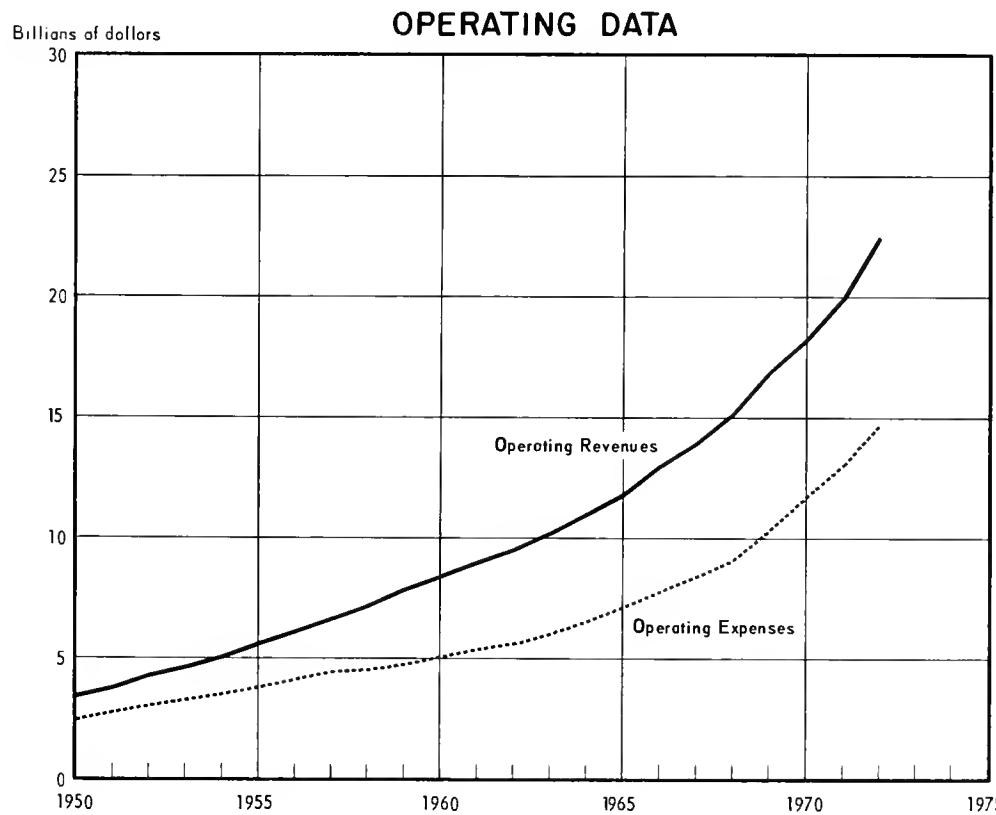
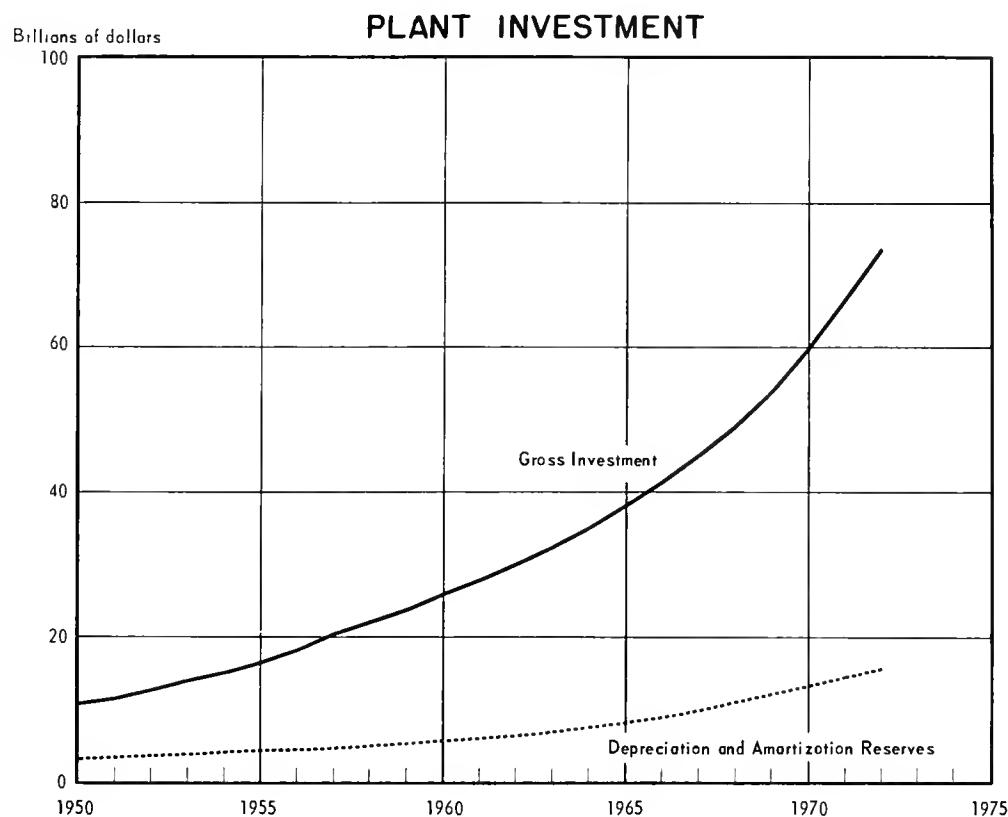
TABLE 9 SELECTED DATA SHOWING DEVELOPMENT THROUGH THE YEARS 1939 TO 1972 INCLUSIVE
OF TELEPHONE CARRIERS FILING ANNUAL REPORTS WITH THE COMMISSION -CONTINUED

(FIGURES SHOWN IN THOUSANDS EXCEPT NUMBER OF CARRIERS AND AVERAGE COMPENSATION PER EMPLOYEE)

YEAR	OPERATING REVENUES 1	OPERATING EXPENSES	OPERATING RATIO (PERCENT)	TAXES	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER ALL TAX DEDUCTIONS	NET INCOME
1939	\$1 172 129	\$775 138	66 13	\$163 885	\$233 107	\$205 934
1940	1 243 292	812 266	65 33	193 637	237 391	221 234
1941	1 374 776	885 411	64 40	243 454	245 912	209 916
1942	1 553 437	985 154	63 42	337 151	231 133	178 719
1943	1 742 474	1 106 833	63 52	393 705	241 937	194 819
1944	1 869 022	1 199 391	64 17	438 457	231 174	184 232
1945	2 037 079	1 342 258	65 89	420 628	274 193	190 645
1946	2 211 519	1 674 724	75 73	273 162	263 634	227 237
1947	2 355 810	1 893 627	80 38	260 761	201 421	170 684
1948	2 773 408	2 188 654	78 92	310 634	274 121	228 478
1949	3 056 485	2 367 746	77 47	366 640	322 099	252 214
1950	3 444 568	2 463 584	71 52	525 985	454 999	371 520
1951	3 817 537	2 698 098	70 68	659 279	460 160	377 423
1952	4 228 750	2 986 565	70 63	737 732	504 452	420 733
1953	4 628 118	3 222 873	69 64	838 053	567 192	496 507
1954	5 013 181	3 436 377	68 55	929 144	647 660	569 600
1955	5 561 530	3 703 952	66 60	1 093 585	763 993	694 119
1956	6 122 273	4 064 374	66 39	1 217 533	840 366	782 754
1957	6 641 626	4 376 432	65 89	1 331 102	934 092	861 416
1958	7 140 359	4 460 558	62 47	1 557 958	1 121 843	1 001 522
1959	7 798 579	4 727 623	60 62	1 773 487	1 297 469	1 159 377
1960	8 364 779	5 024 495	60 07	1 940 799	1 399 485	1 249 712
1961	8 898 869	5 303 871	59 60	2 074 613	1 520 384	1 335 912
1962	9 514 840	5 620 347	59 07	2 217 133	1 677 360	1 437 901
1963	10 157 661	5 955 361	58 63	2 372 529	1 829 771	1 537 847
1964	10 948 813	6 502 938	59 39	2 443 125	1 925 547	1 726 682
1965	11 761 820	7 082 180	60 21	2 522 467	2 094 295	1 862 468
1966	12 921 105	7 720 975	59 75	2 802 640	2 322 413	2 057 966
1967	13 870 405	8 332 090	60 07	2 969 542	2 494 921	2 155 860
1968	15 096 833	9 034 289	59 84	3 411 134	2 561 045	2 133 485
1969	16 822 838	10 294 389	61 19	3 617 774	2 813 376	2 261 346
1970	18 222 938	11 652 425	63 94	3 425 573	3 121 670	2 267 510
1971	19 977 303	12 991 492	65 03	3 512 721	3 414 327	2 346 125
1972	22 591 440	14 578 449	64 53	3 824 570	3 938 069	2 674 160
YEAR	MILES OF WIRE			MILES OF POLE LINE	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM
	CABLE	AERIAL (NOT IN CABLE)	TOTAL			
1939	85 452	4 295	89 747	494	0	0
1940	89 352	4 336	93 688	497	0	0
1941	95 328	4 453	99 781	505	0	0
1942	97 856	4 501	102 357	510	0	0
1943	97 578	4 486	102 064	510	0	0
1944	98 254	4 493	102 747	510	0	0
1945	99 829	4 559	104 388	517	0	0
1946	105 236	4 793	110 029	533	0	0
1947	112 567	5 084	117 651	550	0	0
1948	123 867	5 339	129 206	571	54	2
1949	132 982	5 385	138 367	584	59	2
1950	141 885	5 495	147 380	605	64	4
1951	149 311	5 499	154 810	606	67	7
1952	159 250	5 526	164 776	625	72	9
1953	170 397	5 532	175 929	634	74	12
1954	183 215	5 624	188 839	654	76	19
1955	199 054	5 825	204 879	679	79	22
1956	218 380	6 133	224 513	692	82	28
1957	242 620	6 601	249 221	715	90	28
1958	259 869	6 877	266 746	731	92	35
1959	281 861	7 232	289 093	741	95	50
1960	308 003	7 538	315 541	747	99	55
1961	328 347	7 634	335 981	759	109	57
1962	348 403	7 671	356 074	767	118	69
1963	371 534	7 677	379 211	770	135	78
1964	398 937	7 503	406 440	767	156	80
1965	428 885	7 077	435 962	759	176	91
1966	462 233	6 712	468 945	754	203	105
1967	491 718	6 184	497 902	739	244	113
1968	529 109	5 853	534 962	759	273	125
1969	571 608	5 412	577 020	735	283	124
1970	623 420	4 921	628 341	720	296	131
1971	671 353	4 477	675 830	711	300	137
1972	724 328	4 087	728 415	691	316	154

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TABLE 9 --SELECTED DATA SHOWING DEVELOPMENT THROUGH THE YEARS 1939 TO 1972 INCLUSIVE.
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(FIGURES SHOWN IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT NUMBER OF CARRIERS AND AVERAGE COMPENSATION PER EMPLOYEE)

YEAR	NUMBER OF TELEPHONES 2/	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 3/		NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES 4/	TOTAL COMPENSATION	AVERAGE COMPENSATION PER EMPLOYEE PER ANNUM 5/
		LOCAL	TOLL			
1939	18,308	31,684,174	909,278	287	\$511,489	\$1,783
1940	19,336	34,182,252	964,173	305	537,148	1,763
1941	20,837	37,106,418	1,105,048	345	602,961	1,748
1942	22,163	38,688,698	1,241,118	359	670,274	1,865
1943	23,539	38,749,481	1,456,044	368	751,711	2,042
1944	23,868	38,674,542	1,589,359	365	806,599	2,210
1945	24,814	40,830,879	1,769,432	398	936,060	2,350
1946	28,308	48,125,029	2,054,037	525	1,305,431	2,486
1947	31,277	52,659,578	2,161,196	557	1,435,509	2,579
1948	34,224	58,005,215	2,188,298	585	1,666,587	2,847
1949	36,416	61,022,497	2,150,806	560	1,754,103	3,134
1950	38,525	65,315,705	2,114,839	565	1,797,841	3,182
1951	40,426	66,620,928	2,140,403	587	1,975,535	3,367
1952	42,404	68,369,590	2,194,086	615	2,200,657	3,578
1953	44,363	69,978,334	2,268,968	626	2,378,680	3,800
1954	46,482	72,932,453	2,374,743	614	2,496,657	4,066
1955	49,753	77,265,410	2,628,959	649	2,692,871	4,149
1956	53,251	81,437,604	2,901,786	683	2,954,336	4,326
1957	56,436	87,851,859	3,137,306	687	3,121,679	4,544
1958	59,167	91,657,907	3,346,953	637	3,115,217	4,890
1959	62,683	96,542,725	3,664,584	627	3,229,968	5,151
1960	65,735	101,300,804	3,942,466	627	3,384,371	5,398
1961	68,416	103,923,711	4,174,561	606	3,477,407	5,738
1962	71,542	108,024,089	4,531,551	603	3,630,132	6,020
1963	74,547	112,035,199	4,851,651	611	3,784,302	6,194
1964	78,260	117,916,030	5,309,652	631	4,023,377	6,376
1965	82,424	125,789,672	5,921,498	655	4,317,378	6,591
1966	86,905	134,494,250	6,655,464	698	4,685,689	6,713
1967	91,178	141,912,636	7,327,186	707	4,986,239	7,053
1968	96,099	150,197,914	8,264,475	734	5,363,106	7,307
1969	101,460	159,983,936	9,594,276	749	6,169,543	7,770
1970	105,825	169,672,915	10,623,265	839	6,954,284	8,289
1971	109,986	179,130,956	11,184,161	845	7,702,043	9,115
1972	115,640	189,477,357	12,383,746	849	8,772,611	10,333

SOURCE ANNUAL REPORTS FILED WITH THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION IN A FEW INSTANCES DATA FROM UNOFFICIAL SOURCES OR ESTIMATES WERE USED

NOTE -- INTERCOMPANY DUPLICATIONS AMONG THE BELL COMPANIES HAVE BEEN ELIMINATED, EXCEPT PROFITS AND LOSSES ON INTERCOMPANY TRANSFERS OF PLANT

* THE DIFFERENCE IN THE NUMBER OF CARRIERS SHOWN FOR EACH YEAR IS DUE TO MERGERS, RECLASSIFICATIONS, ETC IN 1951 AND 1965 REVISIONS IN THE COMMISSION'S RULES REGARDING REPORTING REQUIREMENTS RESULTED IN A SMALLER NUMBER OF REPORTING CARRIERS

1/ INCLUDES LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES, TOLL SERVICE REVENUES, AND MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES

2/ INCLUDES COMPANY, SERVICE AND PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES

3/ FIGURES ARE PARTLY ESTIMATED LOCAL CALLS AFTER 1950 INCLUDE ONLY COMPLETED CALLS. TOLL CALLS INCLUDE BOTH COMPLETED AND UNCOMPLETED CALLS FOR ALL YEARS. THE NUMBER OF CALLS HAVE NOT BEEN ADJUSTED TO REFLECT THE RECLASSIFICATION OF CALLS OVER THE YEARS FROM "TOLL" TO "LOCAL" DUE TO THE ENLARGEMENT OF LOCAL CALLING AREAS

4/ THE NUMBERS REPORTED FOR THE YEARS 1939-1942, AND FOR 1961-1972 ARE AS OF THE END OF DECEMBER. THE NUMBERS REPORTED FOR THE YEARS 1943-1960 ARE AS OF THE END OF OCTOBER.

5/ REPRESENTS TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR THE YEAR DIVIDED BY THE NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES

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TABLE 10 - EMPLOYEES OF TELEPHONE CARRIERS REPORTING ANNUALLY TO THE COMMISSION CLASSIFIED BY OCCUPATIONAL GROUPS, AND THEIR AVERAGE BASIC HOURLY RATES OF PAY AS OF DECEMBER 31 1972 1/

OCCUPATIONAL GROUP	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES			AVERAGE SCHEDULED WEEKLY HOURS	AVERAGE BASIC HOURLY RATES OF PAY 2/
	TOTAL	MEN	WOMEN		
ALL EMPLOYEES EXCEPT OFFICIALS AND MANAGERIAL ASSISTANTS	841,176	400,474	440,702	38.4	\$4.89
PART-TIME EMPLOYEES	20,110	1,945	18,196	22.9	3.29
FULL-TIME EMPLOYEES	821,066	398,529	422,506	38.8	4.91
PROFESSIONAL AND SEMIPROFESSIONAL EMPLOYEES	94,322	68,299	26,035	38.0	8.13
DRAFTSMEN	3,859	947	2,912	38.1	3.97
OTHERS	90,463	67,352	23,123	38.0	8.31
BUSINESS OFFICE SALES EMPLOYEES	68,347	18,905	49,442	37.9	5.18
SUPERVISORS	13,503	6,241	7,262	38.1	7.40
NONSUPERVISORY EMPLOYEES	54,844	12,654	42,180	37.8	4.63
CLERICAL EMPLOYEES	182,142	14,213	167,925	37.9	3.94
SUPERVISORS	14,237	3,186	11,051	38.1	6.04
NONSUPERVISORY EMPLOYEES	167,905	11,027	156,874	37.9	3.76
COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT	31,630	738	30,892	37.5	3.57
TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT	26,137	267	25,870	38.2	3.78
PLANT DEPARTMENT	49,168	6,048	43,120	38.5	3.80
ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT	32,228	1,962	30,266	37.3	3.75
ALL OTHER DEPARTMENTS	28,742	2,012	26,726	37.4	3.87
TELEPHONE OPERATORS	187,666	2,487	185,179	37.2	3.52
CHIEF OPERATORS	10,514	112	10,402	38.4	5.80
SERVICE ASSISTANTS AND INSTRUCTORS	12,973	77	12,896	38.0	4.21
EXPERIENCED SWITCHBOARD OPERATORS	142,542	528	142,014	37.1	3.37
OPERATORS IN TRAINING	19,593	1,725	17,868	36.3	2.76
OTHER SWITCHBOARD EMPLOYEES	2,044	45	1,999	38.5	3.90
CONSTRUCTION, INSTALLATION, AND MAINTENANCE EMPLOYEES	280,835	274,759	6,076	39.9	5.26
FOREMEN OF TELEPHONE CRAFTSMEN	42,238	41,865	373	39.8	7.49
CENTRAL OFFICE CRAFTSMEN	95,733	90,348	5,385	39.9	4.97
TEST-BOARD MEN AND REPEATERMEN	20,736	20,000	736	39.9	5.24
CENTRAL OFFICE REPAIRMEN	69,589	65,123	4,466	39.9	4.94
OTHERS	5,408	5,225	183	39.5	4.34
INSTALLATION AND EXCHANGE REPAIR CRAFTSMEN	97,597	97,362	235	40.0	4.90
PBX AND STATION INSTALLERS	43,902	43,757	145	40.0	4.78
EXCHANGE REPAIRMEN	25,619	25,608	11	40.0	5.11
OTHERS	28,076	27,997	79	40.0	4.87
LINE, CABLE, AND CONDUIT CRAFTSMEN	45,244	45,161	83	40.0	4.61
LINEMEN	13,828	13,804	24	40.0	4.20
CABLE SPLICERS	28,301	28,279	22	40.0	4.86
CABLE SPLICERS HELPERS	1,824	1,805	19	40.1	3.60
OTHERS	1,291	1,273	18	39.9	4.82
LABORERS	23	23	0	40.0	4.66
BUILDING SUPPLIES AND MOTOR VEHICLE EMPLOYEES	25,457	20,018	5,431	38.5	4.41
FOREMEN	3,293	2,925	364	39.4	7.13
MECHANICS	4,303	4,289	14	39.6	5.00
OTHER BUILDING SERVICE EMPLOYEES	10,497	5,698	4,799	37.0	3.43
OTHER SUPPLIES AND MOTOR VEHICLES EMPLOYEES	7,364	7,106	254	39.5	4.17
ALL EMPLOYEES NOT ELSEWHERE CLASSIFIED	2,407	1,793	614	38.5	5.01

NOTE -- COMPILED BY BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, IN COOPERATION WITH THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
 1. COVERS TELEPHONE CARRIERS WHICH HAVE ANNUAL OPERATING REVENUES EXCEEDING \$1,000,000. THESE CARRIERS ARE ENGAGED IN INTERSTATE OR FOREIGN COMMUNICATION SERVICE USING THEIR OWN FACILITIES OR THROUGH CONNECTION OF THOSE OF ANOTHER CARRIER UNDER DIRECT OR INDIRECT CONTROL.

2. INCLUDES THE BASIC PAY RATE PLUS ANY REGULAR SCHEDULED SUPPLEMENTARY COMPENSATION SUCH AS DIFFERENTIALS FOR EVENING AND NIGHT TOURS. IT EXCLUDES PAY FOR OVERTIME WORK AND PAY IN EXCESS OF WEEKDAY RATES FOR SUNDAY AND HOLIDAY WORK.

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TABLE 11 - LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES, TOLL SERVICE REVENUES AND TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES FROM
JANUARY 1963 TO DECEMBER 1972, INCLUSIVE, OF TELEPHONE CARRIERS REPORTING MONTHLY
(FIGURES SHOWN IN MILLIONS)

LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES										
MONTH	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972
JANUARY	\$467 2	\$488 4	\$514 7	\$551 7	\$583 2	\$625 3	\$672 5	\$722 5	\$791 1	\$875 8
FEBRUARY	464 2	487 2	515 8	549 3	583 1	624 6	673 9	726 0	797 3	905 2
MARCH	469 4	492 1	522 8	559 2	591 1	630 7	679 3	740 5	805 8	916 7
APRIL	474 5	496 2	527 0	561 6	592 6	633 1	686 0	754 5	810 9	923 7
MAY	477 2	497 1	511 7	564 0	598 2	632 2	691 6	754 6	813 2	894 1
JUNE	476 7	501 3	529 9	567 3	599 6	637 7	693 4	758 9	829 3	927 1
JULY	475 6	499 7	528 0	563 1	593 5	638 5	695 0	755 4	815 4	933 0
AUGUST	478 2	498 6	531 6	568 0	602 5	642 1	697 1	757 5	837 1	943 9
SEPTEMBER	480 8	504 0	535 4	569 3	604 1	645 2	703 1	764 8	846 5	970 3
OCTOBER	490 5	512 0	544 8	577 8	614 7	660 1	718 4	774 4	853 3	966 4
NOVEMBER	488 8	509 5	545 1	578 3	616 7	661 0	715 1	778 6	858 6	974 5
DECEMBER	493 5	518 8	552 5	585 5	619 8	670 5	721 7	790 8	870 3	967 9
TOTAL	5,736 6	6,004 9	6,359 3	6,795 1	7,199 1	7,701 0	8,347 1	9,078 5	9,928 8	11,198 6
TOLL SERVICE REVENUES										
JANUARY	316 0	352 1	383 0	429 8	484 4	540 0	618 2	662 9	717 9	812 8
FEBRUARY	294 8	334 6	360 2	414 4	459 9	520 4	583 7	637 7	721 3	823 9
MARCH	323 1	360 2	410 8	467 7	517 0	545 8	637 8	709 5	802 8	878 8
APRIL	324 6	362 6	399 7	446 7	483 3	541 1	634 6	703 9	766 5	840 3
MAY	338 2	365 9	395 6	466 2	519 4	562 6	641 8	704 9	767 7	866 6
JUNE	320 6	370 1	405 8	470 7	512 2	543 5	645 1	710 5	785 7	880 3
JULY	335 2	376 4	403 3	458 0	498 0	567 9	658 2	718 0	769 4	868 7
AUGUST	344 1	375 3	419 2	494 4	533 5	578 9	653 6	716 7	802 6	930 6
SEPTEMBER	323 8	376 2	417 3	472 1	504 2	568 6	658 1	699 2	790 3	880 8
OCTOBER	349 3	388 0	420 6	480 5	532 7	595 4	689 9	709 1	784 2	935 8
NOVEMBER	328 6	375 9	423 2	480 2	517 3	583 4	656 2	694 3	799 7	932 3
DECEMBER	348 8	406 0	440 7	493 1	523 3	611 8	707 9	738 4	836 4	927 8
TOTAL	3,947 1	4,443 3	4,879 4	5,573 8	6,085 2	6,759 4	7,785 1	8,405 1	9,344 5	10,580 7
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES 1/										
JANUARY	821 1	881 1	940 0	1,025 8	1,114 0	1,214 2	1,342 5	1,440 6	1,562 9	1,834 8
FEBRUARY	797 1	862 2	918 1	1,007 8	1,088 8	1,194 2	1,310 2	1,418 7	1,579 4	1,791 6
MARCH	830 3	892 1	975 2	1,070 9	1,153 5	1,225 5	1,369 8	1,504 4	1,664 6	1,861 1
APRIL	836 0	898 8	969 1	1,052 7	1,122 5	1,224 0	1,373 8	1,512 3	1,636 5	1,833 1
MAY	853 4	903 1	949 3	1,074 7	1,164 3	1,244 7	1,387 0	1,516 0	1,641 1	1,830 0
JUNE	836 3	912 3	977 9	1,083 0	1,158 3	1,231 2	1,391 9	1,525 6	1,663 6	1,875 2
JULY	849 5	917 0	974 1	1,066 3	1,138 5	1,257 8	1,408 0	1,531 1	1,647 0	1,870 5
AUGUST	861 4	915 3	994 2	1,107 3	1,183 4	1,272 2	1,406 1	1,529 7	1,701 8	1,944 5
SEPTEMBER	844 2	921 3	995 9	1,086 3	1,155 5	1,265 6	1,417 1	1,518 9	1,699 0	1,920 7
OCTOBER	879 0	941 4	1,008 4	1,104 0	1,195 2	1,307 3	1,463 2	1,537 8	1,699 5	1,969 8
NOVEMBER	856 8	926 8	1,011 5	1,102 5	1,181 8	1,296 3	1,427 0	1,528 2	1,720 2	1,974 6
DECEMBER	881 8	967 0	1,036 3	1,123 2	1,190 7	1,334 9	1,484 8	1,580 9	1,768 9	1,961 2
TOTAL	10,146 9	10,938 4	11,750 0	12,904 5	13,846 5	15,067 9	16,781 4	18,144 2	19,984 5	22,667 1

NOTE -- INTERCOMPANY OUPLICATIONS IN LICENSE FEES AND RENTALS HAVE BEEN ELIMINATED

1/ INCLUDES MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES

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TABLE 12 --COMMUNICATION PLANT OF TELEPHONE CARRIERS REPORTING ANNUALLY TO THE COMMISSION
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1972

ACCOUNT	BELL COMPANIES			
	BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR 1	PLANT ADDED	PLANT RETIRED	BALANCE AT END OF YEAR
COMMUNICATION PLANT IN SERVICE				
ORGANIZATION	\$0	\$579 984	\$579 984	\$0
FRANCHISES	661 891	125 814	3 572	984 133
PATENT RIGHTS	0	0	0	0
LAND	401 026 054	38 723 424	428 394	439 321 084
BUILDINGS	5 506 682 006	685 368 531	34 871 499	6 157 179 038
CENTRAL OFFICE EQUIPMENT	22 020 421 983	3,156 182 620	484 928 210	24 691 676 393
STATION APPARATUS	4 879 054 152	729 975 820	306 084 963	5 302 945 009
STATION CONNECTIONS	4 922 956 358	1 192 605 124	719 312 909	5 396 248 573
LARGE PRIVATE BRANCH EXCHANGES	2 442 754 178	385 534 930	183 608 653	2 644 680 455
POLE LINES	1 614 790 171	77 494 829	46 767 613	1 645 517 387
AERIAL CABLE	5 206 327 259	417 819 976	104 736 543	5 519 410 692
UNDERGROUND CABLE	3 967 197 346	456 577 170	28 473 479	4 395 601 037
BURIED CABLE	3 721 118 741	584 389 863	36 803 050	4 268 705 554
SUBMARINE CABLE	196 168 151	4 103 615	1 283 310	198 988 456
AERIAL WIRE	386 348 233	24 284 602	40 637 384	369 995 451
UNDERGROUND CONDUIT	2 459 317 900	318 746 356	6 021 039	2 772 043 217
FURNITURE AND OFFICE EQUIPMENT	540 714 678	67 197 588	26 960 827	580 951 439
VEHICLES AND OTHER WORK EQUIPMENT	772 998 327	150 311 799	60 743 001	862 567 125
TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUIRED	189 734	-123 142	0	66 592
TELEPHONE PLANT SOLD	0	0	0	0
UNCLASSIFIED	0	0	0	0
TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT IN SERVICE	59 038 927 162	8 290 198 903	2 082 244 430	65 246 881 635
TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	2 923 930 662	190 297 087	4 795 969	3 109 431 780
PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	76 105 353	1 906 485	596 063	77 415 775
TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	-269 778	314 335	332 624	-288 067
SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	10 771 841	673 134	207 626	11 237 349
TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	62 049 465 240	8 483 389 944	2 088 176 712	68 444 678 472

ACCOUNT	ALL CARRIERS			
	BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR 1	PLANT ADDED	PLANT RETIRED	BALANCE AT END OF YEAR
COMMUNICATION PLANT IN SERVICE				
ORGANIZATION	\$878 321	\$614 923	\$579 984	\$913 260
FRANCHISES	2 182 537	126 356	3 572	2 305 321
PATENT RIGHTS	0	0	0	0
LAND	430 401 536	42 383 692	666 051	472 119 177
BUILDINGS	5 803 089 794	731 157 165	37 533 754	6 496 713 205
CENTRAL OFFICE EQUIPMENT	23 417 194 883	3,435 905 851	521 950 430	26 331 150 304
STATION APPARATUS	5 271 455 035	801 953 941	327 724 602	5 745 684 374
STATION CONNECTIONS	5 223 810 427	1,279 830 862	755 708 983	5 747 932 306
LARGE PRIVATE BRANCH EXCHANGES	2 553 158 563	408 325 046	192 106 795	2 769 376 814
POLE LINES	1 812 255 193	97 652 436	57 513 368	1 852 394 261
AERIAL CABLE	5 759 851 591	496 033 989	121 277 733	6 134 607 847
UNDERGROUND CABLE	4 127 582 480	476 977 531	30 521 977	4 574 038 034
BURIED CABLE	3 980 298 229	658 643 826	43 168 952	4 595 773 103
SUBMARINE CABLE	240 347 041	4 661 348	1 424 161	243 584 228
AERIAL WIRE	449 853 411	32 080 002	48 688 340	433 245 073
UNDERGROUND CONDUIT	2 565 967 079	335 182 355	6 209 765	2 894 939 669
FURNITURE AND OFFICE EQUIPMENT	569 517 011	71 366 329	28 253 860	612 629 480
VEHICLES AND OTHER WORK EQUIPMENT	859 975 066	169 576 612	68 716 546	960 835 132
TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUIRED	413 498	1 688 066	0	2 101 564
TELEPHONE PLANT SOLD	0	0	0	0
UNCLASSIFIED	0	0	0	0
TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT IN SERVICE	63 068 231 695	9 044 160 324	2 242 048 873	69 870 343 149
TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	3 128 968 396	221 036 705	15 251 129	3 334 753 973
PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	80 193 814	1 942 799	596 063	81 540 552
TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	6 281 972	5 487 115	781 644	10 987 443
SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	17 372 442	911 674	429 393	17 854 723
TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	66 301 048 315	9 273 538 617	2 259 107 102	73 315 479 840

NOTE: DETAIL MAY NOT MATCH TOTALS BECAUSE OF NECESSARY ROUNDINGS

1 THE DISCREPANCY BETWEEN LAST YEAR'S ENDING BALANCE AND THIS YEAR'S BEGINNING BALANCE IS DUE TO THE DELETION OF LEE TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY AND SOUTH PENN TELEPHONE COMPANY IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ADDITION OF IDAHO TELEPHONE COMPANY, MID-PENN TELEPHONE CORPORATION AND NEMONT TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE INCORPORATED

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TABLE 13 --OVERSEAS AND MARINE COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES FURNISHED BY TELEPHONE CARRIERS
REPORTING ANNUALLY TO THE COMMISSION -YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1972

CLASS OF SERVICE	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE CALLS	REVENUES
OVERSEAS SERVICE		
MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING		
EUROPE, AFRICA, AND ASIA MINOR	14,415,195	133,178,670
BERMUDA	410,808	2,474,601
CARIBBEAN (EXCEPT PUERTO RICO AND VIRGIN ISLANDS, U.S.)	4,278,185	25,391,042
PUERTO RICO AND VIRGIN ISLANDS, U.S. (INCLUDES CALLS AND REVENUES FROM TRAFFIC BETWEEN THESE ISLANDS AND, WITH RESPECT TO U.S. MAINLAND, REVENUES ACCRUING TO BOTH ENDS OF THE CIRCUIT)		
CENTRAL AMERICA	5,792,991	46,104,974
SOUTH AMERICA	1,164,257	9,065,310
HAWAII	2,049,656	24,071,099
ASIA	5,247,309	59,871,259
OCEANIA	2,453,013	37,840,983
TOTAL	633,060	9,517,204
	36,444,474	347,515,142
MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING	XXX	9,575,243
PRIVATE LINE SERVICE		
PROGRAM TRANSMISSION	XXXX	766,727
VOICE	XXXX	2,690,412
NON VOICE	XXXX	187,605
ALTERNATE VOICE AND NON-VOICE	XXXX	7,072,403
OTHER	XXXX	1,397,422
TOTAL	XXXX	12,114,569
MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS		
HIGH SEAS SERVICE		
GENERAL SERVICE	178,555	1,812,120
OTHER SERVICE	0	0
TOTAL	178,555	1,812,120
COASTAL HARBOR SERVICE		
GENERAL SERVICE	293,272	914,015
DISPATCHING SERVICE	2,152	4,654
TOTAL	295,424	918,669
VHF MARITIME MOBILE SERVICE		
GENERAL SERVICE	498,504	1,078,104
DISPATCHING SERVICE	2,434	7,743
OTHER	261	1,400
TOTAL	501,199	1,087,247

NOTE --DATA SHOWN IN THIS TABLE INCLUDE OVERSEAS SERVICE FURNISHED BY 6 CARRIERS AND MARINE SERVICE FURNISHED BY 22 CARRIERS IN ADDITION TO THE DATA SHOWN ABOVE TWO OTHER TELEPHONE CARRIERS, ENGAGED IN FURNISHING MARINE SERVICE ONLY, REPORTED REVENUES OF \$266,000 AND 3 OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS REPORTED TELEPHONE SERVICE REVENUES AMOUNTING TO \$7,830,000

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TABLE 14 REVENUES FROM OVERSEAS COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES REPORTED BY TELEPHONE CARRIERS FOR THE YEARS 1951 TO 1972 INCLUSIVE
(THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

YEAR	TOTAL		AMERICAN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO		CUBAN AMERICAN TEL & TEL CO		HAWAIIAN TELEPHONE COMPANY		ALL AMERICA CABLES AND RADIO INC 4		ITT COMMUNICATIONS -VIRGIN ISLANDS 5	
	MESSAGE	PRIVATE LINE 1	MESSAGE 2	PRIVATE LINE 1	MESSAGE	PRIVATE LINE	MESSAGE	PRIVATE LINE 1	MESSAGE	PRIVATE LINE 1/	MESSAGE	PRIVATE LINE 1
1951	\$12 064	\$339	\$11 181	\$242	\$586	\$96	\$0	\$0	\$297	\$1	\$0	\$0
1952	15 438	314	14 490	215	613	98	0	0	335	1	0	0
1953	13 104	266	12 089	162	617	103	0	0	398	1	0	0
1954	13 712	220	12 604	126	659	90	0	0	449	4	0	0
1955	15 730	243	14 401	148	784	95	0	0	545	0	0	0
1956	18 716	319	3 17 153	188	894	131	0	0	669	0	0	0
1957	22 679	598	20 743	436	850	162	277	0	809	0	0	0
1958	27 841	1 380	24 745	1 083	737	177	6 1 426	118	933	2	0	0
1959	33 109	3 427	29 343	2 847	721	182	1 951	322	1 094	76	0	0
1960	42 322	7 089	37 659	6 035	403	151	2 203	547	7 2 057	356	0	0
1961	50 905	9 055	44 292	7 702	1 118	75	2 786	889	2 709	389	0	0
1962	61 387	11 144	51 367	9 041	1 929	54	4 549	1 576	3 542	473	0	0
1963	69 410	12 366	57 722	9 856	1 667	50	5 647	1 898	4 374	562	0	0
1964	85 277	13 580	72 087	9 768	623	50	7 397	3 072	5 170	690	0	0
1965	101 482	15 885	84 523	9 475	853	51	9 531	4 749	3 681	869	2 894	741
1966	128 600	17 569	106 760	9 219	1 833	50	11 961	6 729	4 441	644	3 605	927
1967	146 293	15 074	120 075	8 787	1 163	72	14 865	5 152	5 632	411	4 558	652
1968	176 254	15 391	145 802	8 657	1 331	75	17 597	5 779	6 268	354	5 256	526
1969	234 667	16 771	195 347	9 223	1 759	75	22 177	6 975	6 848	234	8 536	264
1970	252 224	15 357	213 777	8 449	1 810	63	23 206	6 409	7 161	252	6 270	184
1971	289 126	12 499	247 701	6 341	1 778	61	24 937	5 636	7 746	293	6 964	168
1972	357 090	14 250	308 176	7 620	3 015	71	29 256	5 999	8 846	291	7 797	269

NOTE --FOR CORRESPONDING DATA REGARDING OVERSEAS COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES OF TELEGRAPH CARRIERS AND TV PROGRAM TRANSMISSION REVENUES OF ALL CARRIERS SEE TABLE 25 TELEX SERVICE WAS OFFERED BY TELEGRAPH CARRIERS ONLY

1 PRIVATE LINE REVENUES INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS (SOME PARTLY ESTIMATED) RECEIVED FROM OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS FOR THE RENTAL OF OVERSEAS COMMUNICATIONS CHANNELS USED BY THE LESSEES FOR THE SERVICES OFFERED BY THEM THE YEAR 1960 WAS THE FIRST IN WHICH THERE WERE ANY SIGNIFICANT AMOUNTS RECEIVED FROM THE OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS THE REDUCTION IN THE AMOUNT OF RENTALS RECEIVED AFTER 1963 IS THE RESULT OF THE ACQUISITION BY INEFFECTIVE RIGHT OF USER OF CHANNELS IN TELEPHONE CABLES AND THE ACQUISITION OF OWNERSHIP INTERESTS IN TELEPHONE CABLES BY CERTAIN OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS THE NOTICEABLE REVERSAL OF THIS TREND IN 1967 IS DUE TO THE LARGEST TELEPHONE CARRIER IN PARTICULAR ADOPTING A POLICY OF PREFERRING THE LESS PERMANENT LEASE PRACTICE OVER A CONTINUATION OF SALES OF INTEREST TO MEET TRAFFIC GROWTH NEEDS OF THE TELEGRAPH CARRIERS

YEAR	A T & T CO	HAWAIIAN	ALL AMERICA CAB- LES 8 RADIO INC	ITT COMMUNI-CATIONS-V I	TOTAL
1960	\$782 000		\$188 000	-	\$970 000
1961	1 152 000	\$31 000	220 000	-	1 403 000
1962	1 687 000	124 000	250 000	-	2 061 000
1963	2 109 000	252 000	270 000	-	2 631 000
1964	1 015 000	282 000	240 000	-	1 537 000
1965	162 000	40 000	238 000	\$114 000	554 000
1966	292 000	232 000	206 000	88 000	818 000
1967	1 079 000	269 000	137 000	188 000	1 673 000
1968	1 874 000	471 000	126 000	244 000	2 715 000
1969	2 537 000	402 000	29 000	93 000	3 061 000
1970	2 836 000	400 000	55 000	64 000	3 355 000
1971	828 000	312 000	77 000	88 000	1 305 000
1972	2 030 000	0	70 000	78 000	2 178 000

IN ADDITION UNTIL SEPT 16 1965 HAWAIIAN FURNISHED RCA GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS INC TWO TELEGRAPH CHANNELS IN THE TELEPHONE CABLE BETWEEN HONOLULU AND SAN FRANCISCO AS PART PAYMENT (IN ADDITION TO \$12 000 PER MONTH) FOR THE LATTER MAINTAINING FOR HAWAIIAN STANDBY RADIOTELEPHONE FACILITIES IN HAWAII THE BULK OF THE OVERSEAS PRIVATE LINE REVENUES EXCEPT THOSE FROM THE OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS ARE FROM AGENCIES OF THE U S GOVERNMENT

2 INCLUDES THE CARRIER'S SHARE OF THE OVERSEAS SERVICE CHARGES ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE LANDLINE HAUL IN THE UNITED STATES

3 THE FIRST TRANSOCEANIC CABLE WAS PLACED IN SERVICE SEPT 25, 1956

4 PRIOR TO 1965 ITT CABLES AND RADIO INC PUERTO RICO WAS RADIO CORPORATION OF PUERTO RICO OPERATIONS OF ITT CABLES AND RADIO INC --PUERTO RICO WERE TRANSFERRED TO ALL AMERICA CABLES AND RADIO INC AS OF MAY 22 1968

5 THE FIRST VIRGIN ISLANDS CABLE WAS COMPLETED IN DECEMBER 1964 ITT COMMUNICATIONS INC --VIRGIN ISLANDS COMMENCED OPERATIONS DECEMBER 23 1964 PRIOR TO THAT DATE THE VIRGIN ISLANDS--U S SERVICE WAS VIA RADIO BETWEEN THE VIRGIN ISLANDS AND PUERTO RICO AND BETWEEN PUERTO RICO AND THE U S VIA THE PUERTO RICO CABLE

6 THE FIRST HAWAIIAN CABLE IN WHICH THE HAWAIIAN TELEPHONE CO OWNED AN INTEREST WAS PLACED IN OPERATION OCT 9 1957 PRIOR TO THAT DATE THE HAWAIIAN U S SERVICE WAS VIA RADIO AND THE HAWAIIAN RADIOS FACILITIES WERE SUPPLIED BY RCA COMMUNICATIONS INC

7 THE TELEPHONE CABLE BETWEEN THE U S AND PUERTO RICO WAS PLACED IN OPERATION JAN 26 1960

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TABLE 15 --ANALYSIS OF OVERSEAS TELEPHONE TRAFFIC BY COUNTRY OR POINT
AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1972

COUNTRY OR POINT	ORIGINATING IN THE UNITED STATES				TERMINATING IN THE UNITED STATES		
	CALLS	MINUTES	REVENUE	FOREIGN PAYOUTS	CALLS	MINUTES	REVENUE
ATLANTIC AREA							
EUROPE							
ALBANIA	0	0	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0
ANDORRA	54	550	707	707	0	0	0
AUSTRIA	78,305	688,530	902,871	902,724	32,428	241,145	305,197
AZORES	2,436	18,220	20,669	29,967	1,069	5,688	5,700
BELGIUM	155,558	1,733,352	2,091,102	2,087,969	194,452	2,154,210	2,346,634
BULGARIA	1,010	9,015	14,334	21,728	421	3,899	6,198
CYPRUS	2,463	19,904	31,004	47,400	1,585	9,351	13,671
CZECHOSLOVAKIA	6,438	60,659	95,952	95,951	1,420	9,335	14,471
DENMARK	85,568	817,861	942,057	941,645	55,487	472,704	542,219
FAEROE ISLANDS	72	749	837	831	191	1,874	1,995
FINLAND	20,092	187,966	205,799	205,918	13,106	112,141	125,148
FRANCE (INCL MONACO)	536,197	5,174,667	6,622,647	6,752,678	534,916	4,747,650	5,862,182
GERMANY - FED REP	1,333,092	12,825,830	14,991,458	14,988,314	1,303,166	9,106,220	9,696,734
GERMANY - DEM REP	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GIBRALTAR	305	2,585	3,275	3,250	393	2,738	3,327
GREECE	295,292	2,532,340	3,153,055	3,151,888	845,763	5,560,317	6,306,841
GREENLAND	41	391	500	498	10	78	111
HUNGARY	15,342	122,668	196,346	196,927	4,394	31,671	49,761
ICELAND	10,645	96,267	32,057	353,021	6,040	40,966	48,637
IRELAND	105,080	1,049,871	935,291	935,780	68,315	517,267	468,617
ITALY (INCL SAN MARINO AND VATICAN C)	738,534	6,636,803	7,499,819	7,494,563	372,441	2,931,969	3,271,453
LIECHTENSTEIN	738	6,257	8,447	8,431	0	0	0
LUXEMBOURG	9,173	90,056	99,410	118,632	222,220	2,886,869	2,911,220
MALTA	1,494	13,974	22,967	32,972	253	2,178	3,613
NETHERLANDS	210,662	2,161,235	2,526,841	2,526,557	141,450	1,433,533	1,642,485
NORWAY	69,748	652,659	752,515	752,354	52,180	456,867	536,185
POLAND	12,114	94,656	154,294	167,640	4,237	29,577	52,907
PORTUGAL	43,689	377,779	457,205	458,441	26,120	199,702	238,773
ROUMANIA	3,710	27,804	42,560	75,627	2,642	18,888	28,899
SPAIN	330,347	3,247,118	3,813,305	3,867,501	170,349	1,503,929	1,646,601
SWEDEN	111,880	1,115,212	1,263,532	1,264,538	88,483	859,390	1,023,915
SWITZERLAND	292,871	2,785,779	3,616,597	3,614,849	271,242	2,369,387	2,796,102
TURKEY	13,025	108,718	169,090	169,829	9,490	68,577	105,999
UNITED KINGDOM	1,975,775	19,272,595	17,749,337	17,733,353	2,670,223	20,119,842	14,575,824
U S S R	9,009	88,218	149,587	149,969	7,834	61,102	102,396
YUGOSLAVIA	19,782	179,349	282,185	290,366	6,009	67,797	105,003
OTHER, EUROPE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL EUROPE	6,490,541	62,199,637	68,847,652	69,442,818	7,108,929	56,026,861	54,838,818
AFRICA							
ALGERIA	2,519	29,049	46,852	45,796	3,055	34,020	50,861
ANGOLA	235	2,045	3,430	6,554	461	4,216	6,931
ASCENSION ISLANDS	189	1,629	2,436	4,080	252	1,221	1,427
BOTSWANA	115	1,384	2,252	2,242	0	0	0
BURUNDI	66	540	735	1,503	50	283	376
CAMERON	358	3,185	4,539	11,386	350	3,560	5,067
CANARY ISLANDS	2,428	22,554	20,680	31,023	4,660	37,199	32,227
CAPE VERDE ISLANDS	63	515	863	1,596	31	155	268
CENTRAL AFRICAN REP	112	1,144	1,630	4,090	169	1,513	2,162
CHAD, REPUBLIC OF	176	1,444	2,059	5,161	130	838	1,193
COMORO ISLANDS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CONGO, REPUBLIC OF	0	0	0	0	63	425	607
DAHOMEY	163	1,505	2,144	5,381	184	1,511	2,153
EGYPT, ARAB REP OF	5,229	40,924	68,349	95,443	1,454	5,852	11,296
ETHIOPIA	3,836	29,254	57,945	59,105	3,340	23,574	41,378
EQUATORIAL GUINEA, REPUBLIC OF	10	146	201	412	11	78	130
FRENCH TERRITORY OF AFARS AND ISSAS	8	46	65	165	138	1,259	1,784
GABON, REPUBLIC OF	152	1,240	1,768	4,432	101	1,163	1,657
GAMBIA	151	1,308	1,637	4,903	166	497	620
GHANA	1,345	11,766	14,708	44,134	1,306	9,789	12,244
GUINEA, REPUBLIC OF	52	423	603	1,512	92	593	844
IVORY COAST	1,065	9,300	13,757	31,389	1,095	9,412	13,412
KENYA	5,048	48,807	69,043	132,601	13,782	77,101	101,492
LESOTHO	130	1,341	2,211	2,202	0	0	0
LIBERIA	3,727	30,999	59,514	59,611	4,366	34,996	64,979
LIBYA	3,482	35,615	57,976	57,839	6,463	58,353	89,696
MADEIRA ISLANDS	710	6,551	7,264	10,535	540	3,964	3,989
MALAGASY REPUBLIC	196	1,837	2,627	6,568	217	2,708	3,870
MALAWI	165	1,237	1,237	3,711	147	760	952
MALI	135	1,077	1,536	3,849	73	625	905
MAURITANIA, REP OF	70	537	765	1,920	39	326	465

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TABLE 15 - ANALYSIS OF OVERSEAS TELEPHONE TRAFFIC BY COUNTRY OR POINT
 AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY
 YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31 1972 --CONTINUED

COUNTRY OR POINT	ORIGINATING IN THE UNITED STATES				TERMINATING IN THE UNITED STATES		
	CALLS	MINUTES	REVENUE	FOREIGN PAYOUTS	CALLS	MINUTES	REVENUE
MAURITIUS ISLAND	32	194	~	786	27	98	92
MOROCCO	11 238	100 743	151 494	151 165	10 683	92 800	125 145
MOZAMBIQUE	185	1 965	3 019	6 465	209	1 629	2 522
NIGER REPUBLIC OF	174	1 350	1 924	4 826	149	1 772	2 528
NIGERIA	3 453	31 778	45 740	105 230	6 715	41 510	58 619
PORTUGUESE GUINEA	4	32	60	100	3	31	55
PRINCIPE & SAO TOME	2	50	81	131	18	114	212
REUNION ISLANDS	4	19	27	68	14	87	132
RHODESIA	804	6 624	6 675	19 872	1	3	3
RWANDA	17	129	172	344	25	140	188
SAINT HELENA	3	32	59	69	0	0	0
SENEGAL	784	7 436	14 538	15 213	661	5 763	10 838
SEYCHELLES	56	448	427	1 813	47	177	165
SIERRA LEONE	986	7 307	9 112	27 450	742	4 486	5 632
SOMALIA	47	330	415	1 235	24	173	217
SOUTH AFRICA, REP OF (INCL S W AFRICA)	30 193	305 989	493 218	493 330	39 927	319 660	509 829
SPANISH N AFRICA	16	100	98	131	0	0	0
SPANISH SAHARA	1	7	12	23	0	0	0
SUDAN, THE	106	817	1 022	3 063	49	333	419
SWAZILAND	158	1 542	2 552	2 548	0	0	0
TANZANIA	916	8 201	11 659	22 269	2 572	17 245	23 039
TOGO REPUBLIC OF	185	1 749	2 434	6 251	173	1 569	2 236
TUNISIA	1 416	14 414	24 206	34 913	1 642	16 884	27 942
UGANDA	1 213	10 287	15 184	25 271	2 936	17 077	21 411
UPPER VOLTA REP OF	70	691	985	2 470	53	394	561
ZAIRE REP OF	1 574	16 221	32 396	32 500	2 597	29 288	58 193
ZAMBIA	728	6 496	6 496	19 488	1 148	6 760	6 760
OTHER AFRICA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL AFRICA	86 300	812 353	1 273 075	1 616 167	113 170	873 984	1 309 723
NEAR EAST							
BAHRAIN	2 430	28 276	35 347	106 033	5 740	33 798	41 207
IRAN	37 662	372 510	590 465	590 548	12 820	98 426	159 738
IRAQ	274	1 856	2 321	6 959	324	1 047	1 313
ISRAEL	296 275	2 336 065	3 419 842	3 422 041	118 725	812 356	1 158 934
JORDAN	3 484	33 206	53 338	56 552	279	1 992	2 759
KUWAIT	4 676	45 781	65 697	65 955	6 028	53 281	79 145
LEBANON	42 630	428 018	643 095	642 824	18 750	166 229	262 573
OMAN	54	426	450	1 680	99	407	429
QATAR	418	3 729	4 064	14 581	2 443	13 930	15 190
SAUDI ARABIA	1 057	9 028	16 425	18 422	779	3 368	3 634
SOUTH YEMAN	232	1 631	1 767	6 388	0	0	0
SYRIAN ARAB REP	1 126	7 314	12 456	24 134	285	1 317	1 904
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES							
DUBAI	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER UN ARAB EMIR	1 536	21 109	22 330	83 211	11 985	49 708	52 276
YEMAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER NEAR EAST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL NEAR EAST	391 854	3 288 949	4 867 597	5 039 328	178 257	1 235 859	1 779 102
BERMUDA							
BERMUDA	244 879	1 691 585	1 423 804	1 377 658	165 847	1 213 536	1 049 972
CARIBBEAN							
BAHAMAS	563 036	3 489 173	2 891 513	2 803 741	318 440	1 979 644	1 613 222
BARBADOS	64 496	561 292	562 568	550 299	35 973	290 796	296 536
BRITISH WEST INDIES							
ANTIGUA	17 652	130 814	139 373	135 093	13 328	88 268	94 710
BARBUDA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BRITISH VIRGIN ISL	8 459	60 907	40 080	82 812	4 172	29 784	19 304
CARRIACOU	103	687	658	916	97	485	474
DOMINICA	2 514	20 177	16 985	23 293	1 182	7 044	6 155
GRENADA	9 225	72 495	64 689	85 978	4 697	28 794	26 328
MONTSERRAT	2 829	22 917	19 279	26 387	1 897	12 129	9 958
ST KITTS & NEVIS	2 976	24 709	21 381	28 680	1 429	9 114	7 966
ST LUCIA	5 333	45 226	39 825	53 300	3 778	29 864	26 201
ST VINCENT	6 292	52 915	45 515	61 551	3 416	23 757	20 823
OTHER BRITISH W I	232	1 621	1 464	1 899	0	0	0
CAYMAN ISLANDS	8 671	60 319	38 013	88 899	14 997	106 372	66 468
CUBA(GUANTANAMO)	43 643	525 629	386 224	309 339	17 579	170 987	116 569
CUBA(HAVANA)	297 551	6 417 865	3 144 900	4 161 084	497	4 964	4 303
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	246 162	1 937 227	1 810 748	1 783 800	145 567	1 071 562	997 170
FRENCH ANTILLES	7 672	56 728	84 423	82 031	7 271	50 192	73 547
HAITI	118 619	872 946	1 124 061	1 110 783	33 304	186 998	230 934
JAMAICA	399 716	3 280 805	3 388 980	3 287 259	274 123	2 155 017	2 170 542

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COUNTRY OR POINT	ORIGINATING IN THE UNITED STATES				TERMINATING IN THE UNITED STATES		
	CALLS	MINUTES	REVENUE	FOREIGN PAYOUTS	CALLS	MINUTES	REVENUE
NETHERLAND WEST INDIES							
ARUBA	15,888	106,510	151,784	147,162	14,813	75,775	104,120
BONAIRE	350	2,398	3,443	3,254	337	2,178	3,087
CURACAO	17,820	128,893	185,734	177,750	16,580	95,090	133,138
SAINT MAARTEN	7,001	41,088	41,160	77,663	10,349	45,070	42,624
OTHER, NETH W I	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PUERTO RICO	2,820,060	21,455,772	14,151,948	13,675,619	2,094,034	17,683,904	11,869,624
TRINIDAD & TABAGO	85,776	712,609	1,070,878	1,036,991	58,971	410,894	616,994
TURKS ISLAND	1,744	11,824	10,289	16,425	1,633	9,719	8,590
VIRGIN ISLANDS--U S	507,711	3,948,807	2,659,307	2,569,426	371,186	3,112,366	1,978,993
OTHER, CARIBBEAN	76	476	452	584	0	0	0
TOTAL CARIBBEAN	5,261,607	44,042,829	32,095,674	32,382,018	3,449,650	27,680,767	20,538,380
CENTRAL AMERICA							
BRITISH HONDURAS	20,056	148,512	221,312	189,684	7,451	37,705	51,128
COSTA RICA	110,824	928,215	869,442	762,713	69,020	491,431	465,200
EL SALVADOR	51,367	434,585	564,175	472,755	41,827	315,490	405,899
GUATEMALA	72,450	639,733	636,379	544,432	49,770	394,007	449,162
HONDURAS	41,389	295,938	355,175	316,484	33,124	204,661	242,298
MEXICO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NICARAGUA	47,966	372,556	466,371	402,607	30,699	208,294	259,323
PANAMA CANAL ZONE	143,066	1,551,788	1,102,855	944,405	91,336	752,076	519,291
PANAMA REPUBLIC	190,055	1,709,094	1,341,148	1,210,104	163,122	1,357,290	1,108,698
OTHER, CENT AMERICA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL CENTRAL AMERICA	677,173	6,080,421	5,556,857	4,843,184	486,349	3,760,954	3,500,999
SOUTH AMERICA							
ARGENTINA	135,196	1,298,676	1,802,328	1,802,293	117,375	1,062,386	1,530,853
BOLIVIA	4,148	30,277	34,304	84,552	2,272	16,048	18,165
BRAZIL	186,698	1,940,693	2,859,152	2,857,680	183,232	1,797,295	2,628,997
CHILE	55,335	475,530	627,451	627,568	82,520	755,470	977,291
COLOMBIA	182,004	1,620,491	2,333,388	2,332,565	120,716	980,033	1,474,683
ECUADOR	52,159	456,038	835,523	835,285	33,148	268,937	491,890
FALKLAND ISLAND	16	158	158	474	11	52	52
FRENCH GUIANA	145	1,653	2,315	2,307	113	963	1,795
GUYANA	17,266	146,167	177,225	375,716	10,592	77,536	92,510
PARAGUAY	4,500	37,424	71,735	71,836	2,955	21,923	42,566
PERU	100,565	920,661	1,224,203	1,223,071	79,589	649,408	887,522
SURINAM	1,921	16,828	30,954	30,943	1,995	15,448	28,906
URUGUAY	17,229	133,189	251,251	251,949	9,036	63,889	121,903
VENEZUELA	298,298	2,499,767	2,604,651	2,604,267	310,899	2,614,508	2,842,500
OTHER, S AMERICA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL SOUTH AMERICA	1,055,480	9,577,552	12,854,638	13,100,506	954,453	8,323,896	11,139,633
NORTH AMERICA							
CANADA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ST PIERRE & MIQUELON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL NORTH AMERICA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ANTARCTICA							
SOUTH GEORGIA ISLAND	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SOUTH ORKNEY ISLAND	6	64	64	192	0	0	0
OTHER, ANTARCTICA	52	447	692	692	0	0	0
TOTAL ANTARCTICA	58	511	756	884	0	0	0
TOTAL ATLANTIC AREA	14,207,892	127,693,837	126,920,053	127,802,563	12,456,655	99,115,857	94,156,627

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TABLE 15 ANALYSIS OF OVERSEAS TELEPHONE TRAFFIC BY COUNTRY OR POINT
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COUNTRY OR POINT	ORIGINATING IN THE UNITED STATES				TERMINATING IN THE UNITED STATES		
	CALLS	MINUTES	REVENUE	FOREIGN PAYOUTS	CALLS	MINUTES	REVENUE
PACIFIC AREA							
HAWAII	2 701 770	23 395 902	15 816 009	13 846 969	2 545 539	22 605 202	15 235 104
ALASKA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AFGHANISTAN	754	5 408	6 758	20 244	700	3 753	4 691
BANGLADESH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BHUTAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BRUNEI	78	622	903	1 585	175	1 661	2 514
BURMA	96	758	1 148	2 650	276	1 331	1 997
CHINA PEOPLES REP OF	1 308	22 196	48 610	48 721	0	0	0
CHINA REP OF	86 722	870 041	1 649 594	1 648 052	55 042	424 583	750 464
HONG KONG	167 833	1 704 749	2 366 432	2 579 721	105 711	921 418	1 353 108
INDIA	38 925	287 132	575 212	574 517	30 527	170 262	340 770
INDONESIA	7 945	93 804	83 882	251 634	7 245	87 391	100 315
JAPAN	422 449	4 792 210	7 266 758	7 160 380	377 002	4 223 647	6 538 132
KHMER REPUBLIC	151	1 072	1 651	3 709	301	2 269	3 482
KOREA NORTH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
KOREA REP OF	172 664	1 644 221	3 283 675	3 282 494	77 687	642 514	1 222 427
LAOS	316	2 178	2 898	5 814	625	3 901	5 186
MACAO	307	3 199	5 449	7 359	230	1 832	3 128
MALAYSIA	5 331	57 436	113 654	114 483	4 851	47 519	95 022
MONGOLIA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NEPAL	112	624	783	2 337	46	310	500
PAKISTAN	6 259	56 757	136 794	137 861	5 367	30 004	72 744
PHILIPPINES	357 359	3 650 262	5 544 147	5 543 394	123 864	1 122 212	1 735 079
PORTUGUESE TIMOR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SINGAPORE	31 661	405 350	810 493	809 487	26 802	286 242	572 484
SRI LANKA SOC REP	441	3 248	4 059	12 181	500	2 067	2 584
THAILAND	85 160	836 961	1 365 911	1 365 542	16 904	138 727	218 394
VIEET NAM NORTH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VIEET NAM REPUBLIC OF	199 029	1 821 136	1 367 649	4 165 381	11 539	57 929	65 146
OTHER ASIA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL ASIA	1 584 900	16 259 364	24 636 460	27 737 546	845 394	8 169 572	13 088 167
OCEANIA							
AUSTRALIA XMAS ISL	139 298	1 454 473	2 208 584	2 210 321	137 678	1 271 807	1 991 034
TAIWAN & NAURU ISL	16	115	153	307	27	186	250
COOK ISLAND	3 992	38 317	38 291	76 579	2 406	19 433	19 074
FRENCH POLYNESIA							
MARQUESAS ISLANDS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SOCIETY ISLANDS	1 283	8 977	17 973	17 954	1 020	6 407	12 814
TUBAI ISLANDS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER FR POLYNESIA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GILBERT ISLANDS	5	64	66	190	0	0	0
GUAM	83 492	942 872	1 393 699	1 393 271	49 791	437 928	668 232
MIDWAY ISLANDS	4 462	50 568	60 301	73 799	1 223	13 709	17 708
NEW CALEDONIA	463	2 956	3 416	4 252	294	1 481	1 671
NEW HEBRIDES	15	116	177	403	0	0	0
NEW GUINEA TRUST	122	1 323	1 931	3 385	0	0	0
NEW ZEALAND	25 817	243 670	353 811	353 449	21 402	183 939	273 059
PAPUA	291	2 643	3 798	6 793	3 081	24 336	34 814
RYUKYU ISLANDS	117 933	1 233 480	2 045 075	2 044 586	8 295	64 540	103 815
SOLOMON ISLANDS	9	48	67	125	28	120	168
SAMOA - AMERICAN	6 119	50 618	73 869	73 823	3 432	24 181	35 459
SAMOA - WESTERN	257	1 639	2 706	3 685	36	180	286
TONGA ISLANDS	231	1 745	1 815	5 165	44	284	295
U S TRUST TERR OF THE PACIFIC							
CAROLINE ISLANDS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MARIANAS ISLANDS & SAIPAN	632	6 430	10 101	15 148	757	7 422	11 434
MARSHALL ISLANDS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER U S TRUST ISLANDS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WAKE ISLAND	1 077	11 598	14 561	17 279	561	6 927	9 298
OTHER OCEANIA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL OCEANIA	385 514	4 051 652	6 230 394	6 300 514	230 075	2 062 880	3 179 411
TOTAL PACIFIC AREA	4 672 184	43 706 918	46 682 863	47 885 029	3 621 008	32 837 654	31 502 682
GRAND TOTAL	18 880 076	171 400 755	173 602 916	175 687 592	16 077 663	131 953 511	125 659 309

NOTE--DATA SHOWN IN THIS TABLE ARE COMPILED FROM AT&T'S RESPONSE TO PART 43 61 OF THE COMMISSION'S RULES AND REPRESENTS ALL OVERSEAS MESSAGE TELEPHONE TRAFFIC WHICH EITHER ORIGINATED OR TERMINATED IN THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES EXCLUDING ALASKA. BEGINNING WITH THE YEAR 1968 OVERSEAS TELEPHONE DATA AS REPORTED HEREIN EXCLUDES DATA ON CALLS WHICH TRANSITED THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES OVER THE FACILITIES OF THE TELEPHONE COMPANY WHICH HAVE BEEN INCLUDED IN ALL PRIOR YEARS AND THEREFORE SUCH YEARS DATA ARE NOT COMPARABLE. IN 1972 AT&T REPORTED THAT IT HANDLED SOME 5 407 440 INBOUND TRANSITING MINUTES OF TELEPHONE CONVERSATIONS AND SOME 5 407 558 OUTBOUND TRANSITING MINUTES OF TELEPHONE CONVERSATIONS OUT OF A COMBINED TOTAL OF 314 169 264 OVERSEAS MINUTES HANDLED. THESE DATA VARY SOMEWHAT FROM THE MESSAGE COUNTS AND REVENUES SHOWN IN TABLE 13. THE DATA IN SUCH TABLE CONTAINS SUBSTANTIAL REVENUE REPORTED BY FOUR CARRIERS FROM CALLS HANDLED JOINTLY WITH AT&T PRINCIPALLY TO OR FROM HAWAII PUERTO RICO VIRGIN ISLANDS AND CUBA. IT ALSO CONTAINS A RELATIVELY SMALL NUMBER OF CALLS AND REVENUES FROM CALLS WHICH AT&T DID NOT PARTICIPATE IN HANDLING.

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TABLE 16 --STATISTICS OF TELEPHONE CARRIERS REPORTING ANNUALLY TO THE COMMISSION, AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1972 AND FOR YEAR THEN ENDED

NO	ITEM	1 ALL COMPANIES 1/	2 BELL SYSTEM 1/, 2/	3 AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH CO	4 BELL OPERATING COMPANIES
BALANCE SHEET--ASSETS					
COMMUNICATION PLANT					
1 TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	69,870,343,155	65,246,881,642		5,620,182,223	59,626,699,419
2 TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	3,334,753,966	3,109,431,771		350,538,514	2,758,893,257
3 PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	81,540,558	77,415,78		4,906,441	72,509,341
4 TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	10,987,444	- 288,016		37,300	- 325,366
5 SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	17,854,723	11,237,349		11,237,349	0
6 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	73,315,479,846	68,444,678,478		5,986,901,827	62,457,776,651
7 LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	15,643,056,117	14,808,145,731		1,464,251,693	13,343,894,037
8 AMORTIZATION RESERVE	1,216,677	530,523		119,838	410,685
9 EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	5,616,475	3,617,379		3,617,379	0
10 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--NET	57,665,590,577	53,632,384,846		4,518,912,917	49,113,471,929
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11 INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	1,683,127,993	3/ 1,550,957,120		22,491,138,820	162,252,812
12 ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	8,978,000	8,978,000		1,048,850,000	4,278,000
13 MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	45,193,746	20,894,956		2,662,959	18,231,997
14 OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	91,822,068	89,815,636		175,781,789	7,841,376
15 TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	1,829,121,807	1,670,645,712		23,718,433,568	192,604,185
CURRENT ASSETS					
16 CASH	221,028,027	184,600,244		19,555,509	165,044,735
17 TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	1,149,354,596	1,148,616,645		1,143,149,567	5,467,078
18 NOTES RECEIVABLE	6,481,735	1,738,671		0	1,738,671
19 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS, AGENTS AND OTHERS	2,983,169,737	2,816,927,108	4/	174,553,619	2,753,631,090
20 MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	391,109,907	346,109,247		39,363,383	306,745,863
21 ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	57,963,210	56,179,037		187,266,416	36,584,744
22 TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	4,809,108,211	4,554,170,952		1,563,888,494	3,269,212,182
23 OTHER ASSETS	2,493,350	2,493,750		2,493,750	0
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24 PREPAID ACCOUNTS	407,510,420	394,324,220		2,203,572	392,120,648
25 ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	376,997,222	328,984,403		67,538,017	219,245,351
26 TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	784,507,643	723,308,623		69,741,589	611,365,999
27 TOTAL ASSETS	65,090,821,587	60,583,003,883		29,873,470,318	53,186,654,295
BALANCE SHEET--LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28 COMMON STOCK	11,072,184,392	9,977,473,034		9,227,949,150	20,963,802,553
29 PREFERRED STOCK	201,775,288	95,989,461		28,085,161	132,000,000
30 CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	622,917	622,917		622,917	0
31 INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	5,944,141	1,144,141		0	1,144,141
32 PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	7,683,115,545	7,558,974,753		7,414,615,790	793,492,695
33 OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	191,320,085	18,781,899		4,318,116	146,989,667
34 RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	2,841,396	1,294,809		0	1,294,809
35 UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	10,588,553,136	3/ 10,147,281,361		4,700,759,103	5,523,563,533
36 LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	21,488	0		0	0
37 CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	780,850	0		0	0
38 TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	29,745,554,562	27,801,662,375		21,376,350,237	27,562,287,397
LONG TERM DEBT					
FUNDED DEBT					
39 MORTGAGE BONDS	4,244,019,837	2,790,000,000		0	2,790,000,000
40 OBLIGATIONS	20,327,584,800	20,040,825,800		6,916,825,800	13,124,000,000
41 OTHER FUNDED DEBT	1,861,572,202	1,829,966,781		677,500,000	1,152,466,781
42 TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	26,433,176,839	24,660,792,581		7,594,325,800	17,066,466,781
43 ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	31,256,816	20,000		0	1,044,150,000
44 ALL OTHER LONG TERM DEBT	55,867,592	37,877,016		7,868,305	51,908,711
45 TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	26,520,281,247	24,698,669,597		7,602,194,105	18,162,525,492
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46 NOTES PAYABLE	2,186,662,381	1,850,000,001		0	1,850,000,001
47 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	2,048,336,509	1,943,836,834	4/	129,895,719	1,908,016,977
48 TAXES ACCRUED	1,056,389,448	982,749,741		53,479,279	929,270,462
49 OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	1,552,299,356	1,471,239,366		561,980,295	1,088,970,370
50 TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	6,843,687,694	6,247,825,942		745,355,293	5,776,257,810

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NO	ITEM	1 ALL COMPANIES 1/	2 BELL SYSTEM 1/ 2/	3 AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH CO	4 BELL OPERATING COMPANIES
	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG-TERM DEBT	41,067,824	40,817,989	11,275,630	29,542,359
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES ACCEL TAX DEPREC	866,610,821	801,465,235	41,081,455	760,383,780
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	951,119,330	891,373,601	86,658,342	804,715,259
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	122,500,108	101,189,144	10,555,257	90,942,197
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	1,981,298,083	1,834,845,969	149,570,683	1,685,583,595
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	65,090,821,587	60,583,003,883	29,873,470,318	53,106,654,295
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	22,591,440,156	21,383,210,571	1,809,747,423	19,774,729,219
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	14,578,448,821	13,845,457,140	1,217,081,773	12,829,641,438
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	8,012,991,335	7,537,753,431	592,665,650	6,945,087,781
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	16,265	0	0	0
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	2,820,874	0	0	0
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	1,064,264,931	1,021,063,432	-23,051,114	1,044,114,546
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	465,298,276	432,497,273	32,458,269	400,039,004
64	STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	166,163,692	158,531,750	3,536,806	154,994,942
65	PROPERTY TAXES	1,155,013,261	1,107,187,472	75,216,328	1,031,971,144
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	536,027,971	517,899,020	11,347,317	506,551,703
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	337,707,296	320,949,929	18,220,943	302,728,986
68	OTHER TAXES	98,094,109	77,570,062	14,017,610	63,552,452
69	TOTAL TAXES	3,824,569,537	3,635,698,939	131,746,161	3,503,952,778
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	180,265	114,787	33,909	80,878
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	247,730,474	233,365,706	17,289,245	216,076,461
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	3,938,068,981	3,668,803,573	443,664,153	3,225,139,419
	OTHER INCOME				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	160,625,600	159,765,887	1,976,612,023	9,142,958
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	227,068,382	212,184,145	21,505,049	190,679,097
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	74,098,919	72,546,363	95,816,798	5,920,117
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	13,353,079	10,233,704	10,164,169	69,535
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	475,145,979	5	454,730,100	2,104,098,039
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	82,089,013	77,175,789	58,966,101	18,209,688
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	4,331,125,946	4,046,357,883	2,488,796,091	3,412,741,438
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	1,518,581,330	1,410,373,368	412,644,087	997,729,281
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	134,351,040	115,223,358	3,833,051	140,580,860
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	3,931,889	2,725,370	1,440,197	1,285,173
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	1,656,864,259	1,528,322,096	417,917,334	1,139,595,314
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	2,674,261,687	2,518,035,787	2,070,878,757	2,273,146,124
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	6,634,436	1,225,884	13,840	1,212,044
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	5,342,681	4,452,332	160,347	4,291,985
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS--NET	1,393,593	-1,144,799	-69,716	-1,075,084
88	NET INCOME	2,674,159,850	2,515,954,138	2,070,801,966	2,271,141,266
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	9,775,350,076	9,399,851,387	4,264,289,684	5,180,570,713
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	260,691,435	246,221,607	257,995	67,394,504
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	292,457,066	292,395,737	1,679,965	80,214,400
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERV OR APPROP	12,417,744,295	11,869,631,395	6,333,669,680	7,438,892,083
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	787,691	-787,691	0	-787,691
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	1,829,978,851	1,723,037,725	1,632,910,577	1,916,116,242
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	10,588,553,136	3,10,147,381,361	4,700,759,103	5,523,563,533
	DIVIDENDS				
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
96	COMMON STOCK	1,671,749,125	1,571,211,911	1,483,145,865	1,910,209,398
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	15,13	15,74	16,20	9,38
98	PREFERRED STOCK	158,229,726	151,825,814	149,764,712	5,906,844
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	5,45	4,50	7,92	4,48

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NO	ITEM	1 ALL COMPANIES 1/	2 BELL SYSTEM 1/ , 2/	3 AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH CO	4 BELL OPERATING COMPANIES
	OPERATING REVENUES				
	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES				
	SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES				
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	10,717,564,936	10,169,337,592	0	10,169,337,592
101	TELETYPEWRITER	139,165	0	0	0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES	10,717,704,101	10,169,337,592	0	10,169,337,592
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	314,245,141	305,400,681	0	305,400,681
104	SERVICE STATIONS	4,433,100	4,295,636	0	4,295,636
	LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
105	TELEPHONE	54,201,065	49,006,018	0	49,006,018
106	TELETYPEWRITER	24,396,859	23,296,916	0	23,296,916
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	390,795	283,161	0	283,161
108	TELPAC	8	0	0	0
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	6,726,672	6,372,593	0	6,372,593
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	8,624,501	8,041,669	0	8,041,669
111	OTHER SERVICES	66,062,228	62,973,577	0	62,973,577
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	160,402,128	149,973,934	0	149,973,934
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	6,442,938	1,383,868	0	1,383,868
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	11,203,227,407	10,630,391,711	0	10,630,391,711
	TOLL SERVICE REVENUES				
	MESSAGE TOLLS				
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	8,754,256,247	8,208,786,927	1,293,730,929	6,915,055,998
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	820,763	0	0	0
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	544,489	0	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	8,755,621,499	8,208,786,927	1,293,730,929	6,915,055,998
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	771,405,588	753,438,278	133,531,855	619,906,423
	TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
121	TELEPHONE	375,636,430	347,059,953	50,132,877	296,927,076
122	TELETYPEWRITER	97,232,723	93,577,094	16,709,542	76,867,552
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	3,240,610	3,158,064	597,070	2,560,994
124	TELPAC	370,271,304	368,961,295	66,683,609	302,277,686
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	18,337,118	18,116,638	4,334,778	13,781,860
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	80,190,064	79,587,057	18,398,078	61,188,978
127	OTHER SERVICES	114,776,760	110,691,726	16,675,007	94,016,719
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	1,059,685,010	1,021,151,827	173,530,961	847,620,866
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	225,576	40,614	0	40,614
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	10,586,937,673	9,983,417,646	1,600,793,746	8,382,623,900
	MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES				
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	1,073,354	781,572	0	781,572
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	7,213,626	4,657,937	4,657,937	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	814,879,337	786,873,809	13,989	786,859,820
134	RENT REVENUES	89,951,207	82,048,466	25,322,937	73,427,318
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	11,642,035	11,633,405	196,182,135	15,552
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	27,276,967	25,164,569	926,286	24,238,283
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	952,036,526	911,159,758	227,103,284	885,322,545
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	150,761,449	141,758,543	18,149,607	123,608,936
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	22,591,440,156	21,383,210,571	1,809,747,423	19,774,729,219
140	REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE	6,716,465,554	6,416,118,137	1,613,541,538	4,802,576,599
	OPERATING EXPENSES				
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	4,595,375,485	4,387,173,906	300,499,748	4,086,674,157
	DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES				
142	DEPRECIATION	3,330,361,138	3,109,373,614	228,856,832	2,880,516,782
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	759,463	697,338	26,281	671,058
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	50,036	16,399	7,569	8,831
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	315,926	12,349	0	12,349
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	3,331,486,564	3,110,099,701	228,890,682	2,881,209,019

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NO	ITEM	1 ALL COMPANIES 1	2 BELL SYSTEM 1 2	3 AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH CO	4 BELL OPERATING COMPANIES
TRAFFIC EXPENSES					
147	OPERATORS WAGES	1 359 494 180	1 288 385 627	23 540 907	1 264 844 720
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	439 276 428	418 491 892	12 414 315	406 077 577
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	1 798 770 603	1 706 877 519	35 955 222	1 670 922 297
150	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES	1 717 294 675	1 655 868 996	81 738 505	1 574 130 490
151	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	1 343 878 993	1 270 658 329	238 524 339	1 032 133 990
OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES					
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	3 324 824	2 161 380	2 161 380	0
153	OPERATING RENTS	318 009 297	280 300 281	89 422 071	207 579 999
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	1 306 748 391	1 273 394 439	88 191 760	1 185 202 679
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	8 883 670	0	0	184 564 282
156	OTHER EXPENSES 6	154 676 403	158 922 590	151 698 066	7 224 524
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	1 791 642 495	1 714 778 690	331 473 277	1 584 571 484
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	14 578 448 821	13 845 457 140	1 217 081 773	12 829 641 438
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	64.53	64.75	67.25	64.87
COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE					
160	DEPRECIABLE ACCOUNTS	5.20	5.19	4.25	5.28
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	5.16	5.15	4.23	5.24
PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS					
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	24 232	17 976	17 976	0
MILES OF WIRE CABLE					
163	AERIAL	227 824 109	210 016 240	3 139 512	206 876 728
164	UNDERGROUND	368 462 754	360 154 056	2 635 776	357 518 280
165	BURIED	126 603 496	120 070 017	1 943 739	118 126 278
166	SUBMARINE	1 438 018	1 396 571	41 471	1 355 100
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	724 328 377	691 636 884	7 760 498	683 876 386
168	AERIAL WIRE	4 086 799	3 574 252	566	3 573 686
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	728 415 176	695 211 136	7 761 064	687 450 072
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	691 429	586 565	4 517	582 048
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	427 303	415 162	13 421	401 741
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	57 990	56 990	0	56 990
CARRIER CHANNEL					
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	524 445 686	521 028 194	367 760 668	153 267 526
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	31 575 721	30 990 078	23 680 158	7 309 920
175	MILES OF VIDEO	170 087	168 799	89 867	78 932
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	315 568	306 591	261 785	44 806
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	154 216	128 300	51 024	77 276
CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD					
178	ELECTRONIC	819	798	0	798
179	MANUAL	4	4	0	4
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	10 292	8 618	0	8 618
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	6 449	6 279	0	6 279
182	PANEL DIAL	453	356	0	356
183	OTHER DIAL	305	1	0	1
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	18 322	16 056	0	16 056
COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD					
185	ELECTRONIC	6 283 187	6 258 581	0	6 258 581
186	MANUAL	8 552	8 549	0	8 549
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	49 528 127	44 326 095	0	44 326 095
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	54 540 982	53 837 794	0	53 837 794
189	PANEL DIAL	3 952 230	3 891 119	0	3 891 119
190	OTHER DIAL	448 163	609	0	609
191	MOBILE	37 406	33 781	0	33 781

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NO	ITEM	1 ALL COMPANIES 1/	2 BELL SYSTEM 1/, 2/	3 AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH CO	4 BELL OPERATING COMPANIES
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS				
192	MAIN	63,005,529	58,928,042	0	58,928,042
193	PBX	15,299,926	14,669,334	0	14,669,334
194	EXTENSION	36,493,192	34,759,152	0	34,759,152
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER				
195	BUSINESS	30,321,590	28,655,433	0	28,655,433
196	COIN	1,548,442	1,492,633	0	1,492,633
197	RESIDENCE	82,928,614	78,208,462	0	78,208,462
198	COMPANY TELEPHONES	114,798,647	108,356,528	0	108,356,528
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	463,330	454,563	0	454,563
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	378,294	363,490	0	363,490
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	115,640,271	109,174,581	0	109,174,581
202	WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES	8/	118,757	0	118,757
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	1,725,985	1,559,055	0	1,559,055
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	5,833,135	5,261,131	0	5,261,131
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	112,557,764	106,253,845	0	106,253,845
	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 9/				
206	LOCAL CALLS	189,477,357,465	176,962,368,283	0	176,962,368,283
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	1,683	1,665	0	1,665
208	TOLL CALLS	12,383,746,338	11,597,397,474	0	11,597,397,474
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	110	109	0	109
	TELEGRAPH STATIONS				
210	PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER	100,603	97,992	3,158	94,834
211	PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER	416	8	8	0
212	DATA-PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER	35,495	35,388	0	35,388
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	11	0	0	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	136,525	133,388	3,166	130,222
	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE				
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING				
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	36,444,474	34,957,681	34,957,681	0
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	347,515,142	299,261,469	299,261,469	0
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING				
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	9,575,243	8,914,688	8,914,688	0
	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE				
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	12,114,569	5,589,759	5,589,759	0
	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS				
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	975,178	962,052	182,318	779,734
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	3,818,037	3,781,595	1,825,454	1,956,141
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES				
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 10/	734	694	0	694
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	42,047	38,371	0	38,371
223	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	29,514	28,786	0	28,786
	EMPLOYMENT, PENSIONS, ETC				
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	849,193	797,021	40,202	756,819
225	MALE	407,963	379,272	25,315	353,957
226	FEMALE	441,230	417,749	14,887	402,862
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	8,772,611,124	8,344,189,507	512,181,321	7,832,008,187
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	6,682,658,127	6,378,524,000	457,664,000	5,920,860,000
	BENEFITS 11/				
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDED DURING YEAR	8/	252,891	9,729	243,162
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	8/	101,634,768	3,518,296	98,116,472
	PENSIONS				
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	8/	124,118	6,839	117,279
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	8/	369,433,210	27,193,577	342,239,633
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	1,635,014,686	1,590,563,673	99,707,931	1,490,855,742

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NO	ITEM	5 A T & T LONG LINES DEPARTMENT	6 A T & T GENERAL DEPARTMENT	7 BELL TELEPHONE CO OF NEVADA	8 BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA
BALANCE SHEET--ASSETS					
1	COMMUNICATION PLANT				
1 1	TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	5 609 286 715	10 895 508	146 889 443	2 794 777 059
1 2	TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	350 538 514	0	10 442 555	91 087 796
1 3	PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	4 906 441	0	74 579	3 561 308
1 4	TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	37 300	0	0	0
1 5	SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	11 237 349	0	0	0
6	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	5 976 006 319	10 895 508	157 406 576	2 889 426 163
7	LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	1 463 810 770	440 923	39 696 296	711 295 699
8	AMORTIZATION RESERVE	119 838	0	0	0
9	EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	3 617 379	0	0	0
10	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--NET	4 508 458 332	10 454 585	117 710 281	2 178 130 464
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11	INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	32 688 018	22 458 450 802	0	0
12	ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	1 000 000	1 047 850 000	0	0
13	MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	2 662 959	0	1 822	257 420
14	OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	5 150 167	170 631 622	0	459 458
LONG LINES DEPARTMENT BALANCE					
15	TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	41 501 144	28 112 569 963	1 822	716 878
CURRENT ASSETS					
16	CASH	6 899 863	12 655 646	469 541	6 284 617
17	TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	0	1 143 149 567	0	0
18	NOTES RECEIVABLE	0	0	0	411 162
19	ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS AGENTS AND OTHERS	168 143 476	8 917 296	7 575 929	123 232 940
20	MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	39 363 383	0	891 232	11 820 300
21	ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	1 690 419	185 575 997	82 475	1 917 450
22	TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	216 097 141	1 350 298 506	9 019 176	143 666 468
23	OTHER ASSETS	0	2 493 750	0	0
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24	PREPAID ACCOUNTS	2 203 572	0	425 905	16 359 311
25	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	18 965 496	48 572 521	400 919	8 797 597
26	TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	21 169 068	48 572 521	826 824	25 156 908
27	TOTAL ASSETS	4 787 225 685	29 524 389 324	127 558 103	2 347 670 718
BALANCE SHEET--LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28	COMMON STOCK	0	9 227 949 150	106 000 000	975 000 000
29	PREFERRED STOCK	0	28 085 161	0	0
30	CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	622 917	0	0
31	INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0
32	PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	7 414 615 790	0	676 389
33	OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	0	4 318 116	0	0
34	RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	0	0	0	0
35	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	0	4 700 759 103	6 323 086	336 598 056
36	LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0
37	CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	0	0	0	0
38	TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	0	21 376 350 237	112 323 086	1 312 274 445
LONG TERM DEBT					
FUNDING DEBT					
39	MORTGAGE BONDS	0	0	0	55 000 000
40	DEBENTURES	0	6 916 825 800	0	635 000 000
41	OTHER FUNDED DEBT	0	677 500 000	0	0
42	TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	0	7 594 325 800	0	690 000 000
43	ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	3 800 000	82 200 000
44	ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	7 868 305	0	0	0
45	TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	7 868 305	7 594 325 800	3 800 000	772 200 000
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46	NOTES PAYABLE	0	0	0	8 000 000
47	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	116 575 287	15 827 584	4 348 436	85 854 428
48	TAXES ACCRUED	74 647 331	-21 168 052	2 761 466	47 639 142
49	OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	21 859 588	540 120 709	1 021 126	44 396 512
50	TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	213 082 206	534 780 241	8 131 028	185 890 082

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	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG-TERM DEBT	0	11,275,629	0	1,541,304
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES--ACCEL TAX DEPREC	40,702,028	379,427	1,244,020	37,616,618
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	83,654,903	3,003,439	1,717,046	37,206,400
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	6,280,706	4,274,551	342,924	941,869
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	130,637,637	18,933,046	3,303,989	77,306,191
	LONG LINES DEPARTMENT BALANCE	4,435,637,538			
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	4,787,225,685	29,524,389,324	127,558,103	2,347,670,718
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	1,613,541,538	196,205,885	50,735,895	937,330,399
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	968,948,126	248,133,647	33,808,496	604,295,512
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	644,593,412	-51,927,762	16,927,399	333,034,886
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	184,526,164	-207,577,278	5,395,517	62,224,056
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED--ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	23,843,120	8,615,149	666,550	17,674,042
64	STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	3,556,384	-19,576	0	25,340,412
65	PROPERTY TAXES	75,213,243	3,084	1,528,896	6,190,782
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	5,466,265	5,881,052	277,337	30,769,947
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	15,558,926	2,662,017	728,817	12,751,178
68	OTHER TAXES	9,430,569	4,587,041	13,743	11,280,067
69	TOTAL TAXES	317,594,671	-185,848,511	8,610,860	166,230,484
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	33,862	47	0	0
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	16,658,571	12/ 630,674	362,833	10,095,323
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	310,374,032	133,290,122	7,953,706	156,709,079
	OTHER INCOME				
	BALANCE TRANSFERRED FROM LONG LINES DEPARTMENT				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	3,935,031	334,075,774	0	0
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	21,505,049	0	568,388	5,474,791
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	3,276,353	92,540,445	20,701	158,213
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	119,287	10,044,882	0	4,188
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	28,835,720	2,409,338,093	589,090	5,637,192
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	3,226,563	55,739,539	32,713	419,592
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	335,983,189	2,486,888,676	8,510,083	161,926,679
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	0	412,644,087	0	41,459,376
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	1,840,166	1,992,884	257,857	4,940,063
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	0	1,440,197	0	110,988
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	1,840,166	416,077,168	257,857	46,510,427
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	334,143,023	2,070,811,508	8,252,225	115,416,252
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	13,840	0	1,927	0
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	159,390	957	10,938	0
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS--NET	78,301	-8,584	-5,238	0
	BALANCE TRANSFERRED TO GENERAL DEPARTMENT	334,075,774			
88	NET INCOME	0	2,070,801,967	8,248,452	115,416,252
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	0	4,264,289,683	4,987,134	303,869,354
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	257,995	0	0
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	1,679,965	0	50
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERVES OR APPROPRIATIONS	0	6,333,669,680	13,235,586	419,285,556
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	0	1,632,910,577	6,912,500	82,687,500
	BALANCE TRANSFERRED FROM LONG LINES DEPARTMENT				
	BALANCE TRANSFERRED TO GENERAL DEPARTMENT				
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	0	4,700,759,103	6,323,086	336,598,056
	DIVIDENDS				
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
96	COMMON STOCK	0	1,483,145,865	6,912,500	82,687,500
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE		16 20	7 00	9 00
98	PREFERRED STOCK	0	149,764,712	0	0
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE		7 92		

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NO	ITEM	5 A T & T LONG LINES DEPARTMENT	6 A T & T GENERAL DEPARTMENT	7 BELL TELEPHONE CO OF NEVADA	8 BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA
OPERATING REVENUES					
100	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES				
100	SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES				
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	0	0	14 665.067	519 900.255
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES	0	0	14 665.067	519 900.255
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	0	0	444 955	15 174.983
104	SERVICE STATIONS	0	0	1 152	12.903
LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
105	TELEPHONE	0	0	108 170	1 573.913
106	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	1,593	1 572.730
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	0	48	222
108	TELPAC	0	0	0	0
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	0	0	35.217	225.412
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	0	0	12.536	82.791
111	OTHER SERVICES	0	0	114 504	3 286.403
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	0	0	272,068	6 741.471
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	0	9.723
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	15 383.242	541 839.336
TOLL SERVICE REVENUES					
MESSAGE TOLLS					
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	1 293 730 929	0	25 660.832	294 067.099
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	0	0	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	1 293 730 929	0	25,660.832	294 067.099
120	WIOE AREA TOLL SERVICE	133 531 855	0	2 612.410	25.138.728
TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
121	TELEPHONE	50,132.877	0	1,692.185	15 445.634
122	TELETYPEWRITER	16,709.542	0	564.750	2 446.334
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	597.070	0	19,585	78.503
124	TELPAC	66 683.609	0	2,300.846	12,811.305
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	4,334.778	0	118.513	415.319
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	18,398.078	0	513.265	2,010.862
127	OTHER SERVICES	16,675.007	0	650.079	3,419.337
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	173,530.962	0	5,859.222	36 627.294
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	0	0
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	1 600 793.746	0	34 132.464	355 833.120
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES					
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	0	0	1,018	43.108
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	4 657.937	0	0	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	13.989	0	1 138.339	38 735.827
134	RENT REVENUES	25 299.187	23 750	177.822	5,033.661
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	196.182.135	0	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	926.286	0	290.137	1,007.452
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	30,897.399	196,205.885	1,607.316	44 820.048
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	18,149.607	0	387.127	5,162.106
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	1 613,541.538	196,205.885	50,735.895	937 330.399
140	REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE	1 613,541.538	0	29,946.208	182 448.908
OPERATING EXPENSES					
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	300,291.202	208,546	11,101.587	203,641.578
DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES					
142	OEPRECIPATION	228 178.607	678.225	8 454.808	123,589.628
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	26.281	0	0	88.573
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	7.569	0	0	0
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUIS. ADJUSTMENT	0	0	0	0
146	TOTAL OEPRECIPATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	228,212.457	678.225	8 454.808	123,678.201

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	TRAFFIC EXPENSES				
147	OPERATORS' WAGES	23,540,907	0	2,817,108	57,123,032
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	12,414,315	0	1,702,644	15,666,962
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	35,955,222	0	4,519,752	72,789,994
	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES				
150	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	72,906,368	8,832,137	3,143,302	75,442,166
151		127,063,452	111,460,887	2,505,313	59,463,157
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES				
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	2,161,380	0	0	0
153	OPERATING RENTS	79,744,568	9,677,503	690,616	5,494,150
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	68,694,120	19,497,640	2,961,007	57,083,660
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	482,095	8,730,388
156	OTHER EXPENSES 6	-692,618	152,390,684	-49,983	-2,027,781
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	149,907,450	181,565,827	4,083,735	69,280,417
	GENERAL DEPARTMENT SERVICES				
	LONG LINES TRANSFERS	54,611,975	-54,611,975		
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	968,948,126	248,133,647	33,808,496	604,295,512
	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	60.05	126.47	66.64	64.47
	COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE				
160	OEPRECIEABLE ACCOUNTS	4.25	5.84	6.41	4.75
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	4.23	5.84	6.30	4.71
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	17,976	0	0	0
	MILES OF WIRE CABLE				
163	AERIAL	3,139,512	0	401,019	12,745,985
164	UNDERGROUND	2,635,776	0	382,351	16,689,559
165	BURIED	1,943,739	0	256,640	1,000,351
166	SUBMARINE	41,471	0	0	7,204
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	7,760,498	0	1,040,010	30,443,099
168	AERIAL WIRE	566	0	29,841	148,318
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	7,761,064	0	1,069,851	30,591,417
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	4,517	0	3,458	23,742
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (OUCT)	13,421	0	538	20,503
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	7	0	5,275	42,366
	CARRIER CHANNEL				
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	367,760,668	0	6,899,888	3,733,304
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	23,680,158	0	265,640	96,713
175	MILES OF VIDEO	89,867	0	177	154
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	261,785	0	69	828
177	MILES OF RAOIO RELAY SYSTEM	51,024	0	3,685	570
	CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
178	ELECTRONIC	0	0	1	71
179	MANUAL	0	0	1	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	0	0	31	300
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	0	0	11	343
182	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	59
183	OTHER DIAL	0	0	0	0
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	0	0	44	773
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
185	ELECTRONIC	0	0	2,815	640,689
186	MANUAL	0	0	430	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	0	0	63,084	2,042,374
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	0	0	69,425	3,197,050
189	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	686,240
190	OTHER DIAL	0	0	0	0
191	MOBILE	0	0	94	1,139

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	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS				
192	MAIN	0	0	74 177	3 380 989
193	PBX	0	0	25 631	800 688
194	EXTENSION	0	0	36 040	2 385 815
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER				
195	BUSINESS	0	0	47 062	1 525 853
196	COIN	0	0	2 568	100 450
197	RESIDENCE	0	0	86 218	4 941 189
198	COMPANY TELEPHONES	0	0	135 848	6 567 492
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	0	0	705	438
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	0	0	1 026	12 263
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	0	0	137 579	6 580 193
202	WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES	0	0	13/	6 051
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	0	0	3 307	103 953
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	0	0	11 556	285 316
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	0	0	130 947	6 477 734
	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 9				
206	LOCAL CALLS	0	0	191 542 000	8 857 700 000
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	0	0	1 463	1 367
208	TOLL CALLS	0	0	20 346 842	610 847 107
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	0	0	155	94
	TELEGRAPH STATIONS				
210	PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER	3 158	0	165	4 842
211	PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER	8	0	0	0
212	DATA PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	118	1 967
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	3 166	0	283	6 809
	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE				
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING				
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	34 957 681	0	0	0
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	299 261 469	0	0	0
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING				
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	8 914 688	0	0	0
	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE				
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	5 589 759	0	0	0
	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS				
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	182 318	0	0	4 479
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	1 825 454	0	0	10 445
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES				
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 10/	0	0	3	20
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	0	0	108	1.279
223	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	0	0	0	801
	EMPLOYMENT PENSIONS ETC				
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	35 348	4 854	1 798	32 425
225	MALE	23 268	2 047	930	15 523
226	FEMALE	12 080	2 807	868	16 902
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	432 746 482	79 434 839	19 386 244	384 444 758
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	380 424 000	77 240 000	15 000 000	299 900 000
	BENEFITS 11				
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR	8 121	1 608	449	12 791
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	2 910 463	607 833	204 134	4 806 767
	PENSIONS				
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	5 995	844	118	6 828
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	20 471 041	6 722 536	346 077	21 461 525
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	79 873 187	19 834 744	3 930 116	72 162 999

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BALANCE SHEET--ASSETS					
COMMUNICATION PLANT					
1 TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	523,270,231	1,356,491,130	1,257,235,302	421,264,524	
2 TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	12,371,681	42,809,990	48,128,896	10,210,085	
3 PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	4,010,590	897,864	1,022,206	591,733	
4 TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	0	0	0	
5 SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	0	0	0	
6 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	539,652,602	1,400,198,984	1,306,386,404	432,096,342	
7 LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	127,193,823	308,597,037	276,432,833	109,432,084	
8 AMORTIZATION RESERVE	0	0	0	0	
9 EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	0	0	0	
10 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--NET	412,458,679	1,091,601,947	1,029,953,571	322,654,258	
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11 INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
12 ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
13 MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	334,578	19,921	99,198	0	
14 OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	99,102	38,516	0	30,152	
15 TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	433,681	58,437	99,198	30,152	
CURRENT ASSETS					
16 CASH	1,409,729	2,277,815	2,275,058	348,874	
17 TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	0	0	0	0	
18 NOTES RECEIVABLE	0	0	40,000	0	
19 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS, AGENTS AND OTHERS	40,610,388	60,153,732	54,324,534	16,698,790	
20 MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	2,148,161	7,347,335	5,673,779	1,821,728	
21 ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	289,852	364,446	340,741	187,651	
22 TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	44,458,130	70,143,328	62,654,112	19,357,043	
23 OTHER ASSETS	0	0	0	0	
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24 PREPAID ACCOUNTS	3,138,634	27,062,732	13,030,308	1,208,094	
25 ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	1,570,511	4,022,080	10,200,349	1,086,486	
26 TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	4,709,145	31,084,812	23,230,657	2,294,580	
27 TOTAL ASSETS	462,059,635	1,192,888,524	1,115,937,538	344,336,033	
BALANCE SHEET--LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28 COMMON STOCK	235,000,000	515,000,000	465,000,000	150,000,000	
29 PREFERRED STOCK	0	0	0	0	
30 CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	0	0	0	
31 INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
32 PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
33 OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	0	0	0	0	
34 RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	0	0	0	862,309	
35 UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	42,062,578	151,420,849	131,227,356	45,773,864	
36 LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
37 CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	0	0	0	0	
38 TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	277,062,578	666,420,849	596,227,356	196,636,173	
LONG-TERM DEBT					
FUNDED DEBT					
39 MORTGAGE BONDS	0	0	0	0	
40 DEBENTURES	95,000,000	290,000,000	310,000,000	65,000,000	
41 OTHER FUNDED DEBT	0	50,000,000	50,000,000	0	
42 TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	95,000,000	340,000,000	360,000,000	65,000,000	
43 ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	16,200,000	26,400,000	21,700,000	26,000,000	
44 ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	4,153,166	0	973,572	20,290	
45 TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	115,353,166	366,400,000	382,673,572	91,020,290	
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46 NOTES PAYABLE	26,025,000	41,800,000	30,275,000	20,700,000	
47 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	13,114,829	42,206,508	45,680,827	10,384,972	
48 TAXES ACCRUED	3,031,357	19,331,135	5,207,155	8,437,206	
49 OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	6,403,111	18,059,041	16,888,203	4,883,469	
50 TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	48,574,298	121,396,684	98,051,185	44,405,647	

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DEFERRED CREDITS					
51 PREMIUM ON LONG TERM DEBT		73,977	1,279,146	366,233	161,828
52 ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES-ACCEL TAX DEPREC		8,543,501	17,267,785	15,361,456	4,138,899
53 UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS		7,020,213	19,565,981	18,255,527	5,531,897
54 ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS		5,431,902	558,079	5,002,209	2,441,299
55 TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS		21,069,592	38,670,991	38,985,425	12,273,923
56 TOTAL LIABILITIES		462,059,635	1,192,888,524	1,115,937,538	344,336,033
INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT					
TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME					
57 OPERATING REVENUES		183,654,115	454,710,257	412,463,747	134,109,090
58 OPERATING EXPENSES		132,289,328	284,504,111	263,111,927	88,986,149
59 NET OPERATING REVENUES		51,364,788	170,206,146	149,351,820	45,122,941
60 RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY		0	0	0	0
61 RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY		0	0	0	0
TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS					
TAXES					
62 FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)		8,238,095	28,923,387	29,715,635	9,089,048
63 FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED-ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION		3,667,540	10,384,732	8,931,814	2,353,647
64 STATE COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME		2,136,448	68,108	0	0
65 PROPERTY TAXES		978,548	23,285,804	12,458,071	3,905,400
66 GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES		7,347,633	8,693,588	9,641,294	3,773,923
67 FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES		2,835,471	6,030,127	5,542,071	1,994,844
68 OTHER TAXES		2,101	10,837,789	234,589	316,825
69 TOTAL TAXES		25,205,836	88,223,535	66,523,474	21,433,687
70 INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX		7,927	5,706	0	2,563
71 INVESTMENT CREDITS- NET		1,539,215	4,808,962	4,797,914	1,155,722
72 NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS		24,627,664	77,179,355	78,030,432	22,536,095
OTHER INCOME					
73 DIVIDEND INCOME		0	0	0	0
74 INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION		1,076,099	2,797,205	3,874,357	674,376
75 OTHER INTEREST INCOME		36,824	102,359	56,473	30,897
76 MISCELLANEOUS INCOME		1,856	7	33	355
77 TOTAL OTHER INCOME		1,114,780	2,899,571	3,930,863	705,628
78 MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME		91,577	386,835	427,236	260,318
79 INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES		25,650,866	79,692,091	81,534,059	22,981,405
FIXED CHARGES					
80 INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT		5,781,254	19,128,472	21,579,169	4,150,000
81 OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS		2,202,548	2,470,268	3,149,095	2,644,113
82 ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES		8,970	45,895	47,416	-3,048
83 TOTAL FIXED CHARGES		7,992,772	21,644,635	24,775,680	6,791,065
84 INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS		17,658,095	58,047,456	56,758,379	16,190,340
85 EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS		0	0	0	0
86 EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES		0	70	2,023	0
87 INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS- NET		0	4	-971	0
88 NET INCOME		17,658,095	58,047,382	56,757,327	16,190,340
89 UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR		40,259,535	128,023,671	110,294,747	37,628,720
90 MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS		0	189	4,833,942	16,113,792
91 MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS		17,551	393	5,058,660	11,896,679
92 RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERVES OR APPROPRIATIONS		57,900,079	186,070,849	166,827,356	58,036,173
93 RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS		0	0	0	862,309
94 DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS		15,837,500	34,650,000	35,600,000	11,400,000
95 UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR		42,062,578	151,420,849	131,227,356	45,773,864
DIVIDENDS					
96 DIVIDENDS DECLARED					
96 COMMON STOCK		15,837,500	34,650,000	35,600,000	11,400,000
97 AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE		7,00	7,00	8,00	8,00
98 PREFERRED STOCK		0	0	0	0
99 RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE					

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NO	ITEM	9 CHESAPEAKE & POTOMAC TELEPHONE CO	10 CHESAPEAKE & POTOMAC TELEPHONE CO OF MARYLAND	11 CHESAPEAKE & POTOMAC TELEPHONE CO OF VIRGINIA	12 CHESAPEAKE & POTOMAC TELEPHONE CO OF WEST VIRGINIA
OPERATING REVENUES					
LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES					
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	93,339,505	281,589,297	221,326,336	68,979,266
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES	93,339,505	281,589,297	221,326,336	68,979,266
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	3,854,157	10,183,584	7,113,138	1,674,619
104	SERVICE STATIONS	69,687	539	771	2,827
LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
105	TELEPHONE	712,527	1,058,243	1,812,685	172,323
106	TELETYPEWRITER	233,691	960,006	416,218	412,685
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	-1,896	24,766	15,745	0
108	TELPAK	0	0	0	0
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	112,157	210,016	209,888	20,186
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	18,489	125,149	100,175	92,545
111	OTHER SERVICES	410,259	1,414,189	2,566,204	287,487
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	1,485,226	3,792,369	5,120,915	985,226
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	0	5,183	37,068	0
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	98,748,576	295,570,972	233,598,228	71,641,938
TOLL SERVICE REVENUES					
MESSAGE TOLLS					
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	62,215,031	118,644,456	138,352,770	49,935,191
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	0	0	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	62,215,031	118,644,456	138,352,770	49,935,191
120	WIOE AREA TOLL SERVICE	6,423,781	9,627,116	12,339,104	4,378,929
TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
121	TELEPHONE	2,320,739	4,746,989	4,217,352	2,149,357
122	TELETYPEWRITER	779,672	1,060,673	1,109,059	359,306
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	27,267	36,978	30,010	11,812
124	TELPAK	3,100,563	4,139,582	5,203,093	1,568,098
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	163,329	265,010	212,871	66,690
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	704,963	925,517	944,988	304,808
127	OTHER SERVICES	892,006	1,514,412	1,162,758	438,847
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	7,988,540	12,689,161	12,880,131	4,898,918
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	0	0
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	76,627,352	140,960,733	163,572,005	59,213,038
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES					
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSION	9,760	18,320	13,346	2,176
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	0	0	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	4,373,333	19,738,468	15,685,054	3,189,997
134	RENT REVENUES	4,887,062	884,738	975,574	583,223
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	0	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	448,034	84,250	696,789	120,010
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	9,718,189	20,725,776	17,370,763	3,895,406
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	1,440,000	2,547,224	2,077,249	641,292
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	183,654,115	454,710,257	412,463,747	134,109,090
140	REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE	75,831,896	98,744,188	102,101,908	34,710,229
OPERATING EXPENSES					
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	40,097,299	86,757,823	83,464,909	28,011,857
DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES					
142	DEPRECIATION	32,558,722	65,289,571	64,232,927	19,872,534
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	2,236	9,354	4,401	3,205
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	0	0	0
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	32,560,958	65,298,925	64,237,328	19,875,739

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	TRAFFIC EXPENSES				
147	OPERATORS WAGES	11 910,600	24 578,548	25 599 838	8 870,594
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	4 035,970	9 338,548	8,737 776	2,971,904
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	15,946,570	33,917,096	34 337,614	11 842,498
	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES				
150	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	16,614 933	40,365,991	31,528 276	9,857,277
151		11,326,549	22,030,260	19 296,074	9 385 118
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES				
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	0	0	0
153	OPERATING RENTS	1,647,866	6,208 049	5,982 945	1,279 538
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	12,326,906	25,713,668	21,212 244	7,838,878
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	1,709,813	4,246,826	3,841,537	1,267,167
156	OTHER EXPENSES 6/	58,434	-34,527	789 000	- 371,923
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	15,743,018	36,134,016	30,247,726	10,013,660
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	132,289,328	284 504,111	263,111,927	88,986 149
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	72 03	62 56	63 79	66 35
	COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE				
160	DEPRECIABLE ACCOUNTS	6 61	5 22	5 59	5 12
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	6 53	5 19	5 56	5 08
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	0	0
	MILES OF WIRE CABLE				
163	AERIAL	659 656	7,868,572	5,902,237	2,919,518
164	UNDERGROUND	3,881,544	7,110,878	7,452,380	1,095,759
165	BURIED	7 440	2,518,326	3,230,795	700,865
166	SUBMARINE	37,387	38,956	17,518	9,666
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	4,586,027	17,536,732	16,602,930	4,725,808
168	AERIAL WIRE	0	70,772	55,677	26,390
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	4,586,027	17,607,504	16,658,607	4,752,198
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	241	10 462	12,203	9 483
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	3,431	8 490	7,658	1,368
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	0	7	0	0
	CARRIER CHANNEL				
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	270,022	1,442,982	2,293,426	622,412
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	5,760	40,958	59,940	26,514
175	MILES OF VIDEO	37	847	200	617
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	0	113	53	155
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	36	369	1,313	313
	CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
178	ELECTRONIC	26	23	5	0
179	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	0	102	166	121
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	81	301	140	61
182	PANEL DIAL	8	8	2	0
183	OTHER DIAL	0	0	0	0
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	115	434	313	182
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
185	ELECTRONIC	201,536	126,967	95,053	0
186	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	0	225,252	990,754	464,065
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	662,766	2,257,308	1,083,717	255,415
189	PANEL DIAL	91,280	93,786	21,214	0
190	OTHER DIAL	0	0	0	0
191	MOBILE	370	1,384	1,794	103

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NO	ITEM	9 CHESAPEAKE & POTOMAC TELEPHONE CO	10 CHESAPEAKE & POTOMAC TELEPHONE CO OF MARYLAND	11 CHESAPEAKE & POTOMAC TELEPHONE CO OF VIRGINIA	12 CHESAPEAKE & POTOMAC TELEPHONE CO OF WEST VIRGINIA
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS				
192	MAIN	342,118	1 429,434	1,167,411	466,646
193	PBX	368,507	371,480	350,633	80,968
194	EXTENSION	245,327	903,783	674,488	171,969
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER				
195	BUSINESS	463,290	668,223	587,951	168,638
196	COIN	12,799	36,817	30,284	8,561
197	RESIDENCE	479,863	1,999,657	1,574,297	542,384
198	COMPANY TELEPHONES	955,952	2 704,697	2,192,532	719,583
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	3,186	31,595	28,565	43
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	7 609	4,322	9,815	2,107
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	966,747	2,740,614	2,230,912	721,733
202	WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES	1,451	1,875	1,456	638
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	16,202	72,948	25,860	16,206
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	47,212	83,621	146,352	8,903
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	936,620	2,662,228	2,160,654	705,324
	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 9/				
206	LOCAL CALLS	1,751,000,000	4,550,700,000	3,588,900,000	1,294,100,000
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	1,869	1,709	1,661	1,835
208	TOLL CALLS	67,364,989	209,233,045	205,337,000	96,746,846
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	72	79	95	137
	TELEGRAPH STATIONS				
210	PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER	431	1 674	836	133
211	PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER	0	0	0	0
212	DATA-PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER	622	931	652	330
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	1,053	2,605	1,488	463
	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE				
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING				
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING				
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE				
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS				
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	14,936	10,884	0
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	2,567	43,648	0
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES				
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 10/	1	10	5	3
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	429	1,432	1,833	349
223	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	1,971	981	1,484	246
	EMPLOYMENT, PENSIONS, ETC				
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	8,207	15,708	15,203	5,654
225	MALE	3,756	7,504	7,001	2,624
226	FEMALE	4,451	8,204	8,202	3,030
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	88,329,073	164,879,004	150,776,449	55,502,077
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	73,000,000	134,707,000	111,350,000	42,405,000
	BENEFITS 11/				
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR	2,727	4,631	3,749	1,405
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	1,341,350	1,863,807	1,518,849	520,315
	PENSIONS				
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	1,483	1,875	1,440	662
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	4,645,253	5,191,597	4,043,181	1,840,494
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	17,251,655	32,399,741	27,595,379	9,909,701

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NO	ITEM	3 CINCINNATI BELL INC	4 DIAMOND STATE TELEPHONE CO	15 ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE CO	16 INDIANA BELL TELEPHONE CO INC
BALANCE SHEET ASSETS					
COMMUNICATION PLANT					
1 TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	426,876,983	193,136,688	3,542,115,054	936,664,245	
2 TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	12,159,522	12,567,354	120,665,358	31,978,477	
3 PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	1,014,799	588,451	1,943,968	3,212,072	
4 TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	0	0	0	
5 SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	0	0	0	
6 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	440,051,304	206,292,493	3,664,924,381	971,854,794	
7 LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	105,486,931	39,278,376	762,107,906	188,405,547	
8 AMORTIZATION RESERVE	0	0	34,080	0	
9 EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	0	0	0	
10 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--NET	334,564,373	167,014,117	2,902,782,395	783,449,247	
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11 INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
12 ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
13 MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	12,044	11,237	2,436,637	217,815	
14 OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	215,585	1	1,392,226	425	
15 TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	227,629	11,238	3,828,863	218,240	
CURRENT ASSETS					
16 CASH	914,278	223,842	6,626,228	1,169,472	
17 TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	0	0	0	0	
18 NOTES RECEIVABLE	0	1	9,010	0	
19 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS, AGENTS AND OTHERS	17,777,657	8,778,667	170,491,453	34,004,169	
20 MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	2,362,347	1,246,103	12,961,697	5,180,345	
21 ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	115,870	62,989	566,929	304,931	
22 TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	21,170,152	10,311,602	190,655,316	40,658,917	
23 OTHER ASSETS	0	0	0	0	
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24 PREPAID ACCOUNTS	842,805	1,590,792	5,335,319	5,094,450	
25 ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	1,529,258	841,195	7,685,037	4,004,792	
26 TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	2,372,063	2,431,986	13,020,356	9,099,242	
27 TOTAL ASSETS	358,334,217	179,768,943	3,110,286,931	833,425,645	
BALANCE SHEET--LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28 COMMON STOCK	87,663,700	78,000,000	1,386,767,180	340,000,000	
29 PREFERRED STOCK	0	0	0	0	
30 CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	0	0	0	
31 INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
32 PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	7,305,528	0	19,576	0	
33 OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	0	0	0	0	
34 RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	122,500	0	0	0	
35 UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	59,342,360	23,928,275	346,322,117	96,677,744	
36 LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
37 CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	0	0	0	0	
38 TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	154,434,088	101,928,275	1,733,108,873	436,677,744	
LONG-TERM DEBT					
FUNDED DEBT					
39 MORTGAGE BONDS	0	0	830,000,000	0	
40 DEBENTURES	130,000,000	52,000,000	0	265,000,000	
41 OTHER FUNDED DEBT	2,466,781	0	75,000,000	0	
42 TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	132,466,781	52,000,000	905,000,000	265,000,000	
43 ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	9,050,000	63,400,000	5,300,000	
44 ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	8,320,000	0	0	88,996	
45 TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	140,786,781	61,050,000	968,400,000	270,388,996	
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46 NOTES PAYABLE	17,568,849	400,000	56,350,000	26,458,000	
47 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	10,191,214	4,479,352	98,981,626	29,476,385	
48 TAXES ACCRUED	10,732,011	2,609,542	115,128,172	27,862,466	
49 OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	9,134,259	3,612,391	46,034,526	16,333,232	
50 TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	47,626,333	11,101,285	316,494,323	100,130,082	

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NO	ITEM	13 CINCINNATI BELL INC	14 DIAMOND STATE TELEPHONE CO	15 ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE CO	16 INDIANA BELL TELEPHONE CO INC
	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG-TERM DEBT	139,935	28,431	2,059,570	1,185,907
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES-ACCEL TAX DEPREC	5,367,159	2,721,805	43,830,050	12,068,816
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	5,342,907	2,895,188	44,118,343	12,206,891
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	4,637,014	43,959	2,275,771	767,208
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	15,487,015	5,689,383	92,283,734	26,228,823
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	358,334,217	179,768,943	3,110,286,931	833,425,645
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	135,854,670	60,500,506	1,239,161,198	291,018,614
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	88,925,447	38,623,200	739,048,835	181,680,732
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	46,929,223	21,877,307	500,112,363	109,337,882
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	5,677,404	4,150,908	92,699,694	16,973,083
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED-ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	2,884,905	1,387,475	23,031,238	6,587,339
64	STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	200,196	986,153	10,446,722	0
65	PROPERTY TAXES	8,370,038	991,045	57,752,202	19,946,000
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	3,233,366	0	83,901,888	4,335,000
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	1,961,483	877,682	16,483,444	3,825,790
68	OTHER TAXES	0	715,994	1,087,562	176,850
69	TOTAL TAXES	22,327,392	9,109,257	285,402,750	51,844,062
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	9,287	0	15,300	0
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	1,457,797	641,504	10,114,191	3,193,622
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	23,153,321	12,126,545	204,610,723	54,300,198
	OTHER INCOME				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	0	0	115,840	0
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	1,068,306	632,503	9,052,843	2,586,158
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	18,040	10,323	259,436	113,809
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	765	5	47,498	-10,706
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	1,087,111	642,831	9,475,616	2,689,261
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	487,012	19,715	872,313	322,210
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	23,753,420	12,749,661	213,214,026	56,667,249
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	8,671,089	3,803,750	50,842,315	19,587,500
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	955,368	492,491	2,816,553	1,625,227
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	19,667	8,028	-13,055	15,092
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	9,646,124	4,304,269	53,645,813	21,227,819
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	14,107,296	8,445,393	159,568,213	35,439,430
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	0	12,424	13,880	3,163
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	8	0	84,433	1,432
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS--NET	611	4,622	-30,255	519
88	NET INCOME	14,107,899	8,453,195	159,527,915	35,440,642
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	54,444,318	21,012,169	339,340,667	90,687,102
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	155	0	0
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	16,251	2,245	2,074	0
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERVES OR APPROPRIATIONS	68,535,966	29,463,275	498,866,508	126,127,743
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	122,500	0	0	0
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	9,071,106	5,535,000	152,544,390	29,450,000
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	59,342,360	23,928,275	346,322,117	96,677,744
	DIVIDENDS				
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
96	COMMON STOCK	9,071,106	5,535,000	152,544,390	29,450,000
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	10,40	8,25	11,00	9,50
98	PREFERRED STOCK	0	0	0	0
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE				

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NO	ITEM	13 CINCINNATI BELL INC	14 DIAMOND STATE TELEPHONE CO	15 ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE CO	16 INDIANA BELL TELEPHONE CO INC
OPERATING REVENUES					
LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES					
SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES					
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	84 013 523	32 592 536	763 183 756	158 228 190
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES	84 013 523	32 592 536	763 183 756	158 228 190
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	2 812 758	622 460	31 595 612	4 333 484
104	SERVICE STATIONS	0	0	0	13 220
LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
105	TELEPHONE	230 387	124 179	2 579 596	620 578
106	TELETYPEWRITER	237 034	284 562	1 488 278	197 276
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	6 435	0	4 909	2 911
108	TELPAK	0	0	0	0
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION-AUDIO	43 198	15 236	271 614	103 945
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION-VIDEO	13 320	20 621	234 629	401 360
111	OTHER SERVICES	608 072	255 733	3 642 668	751 654
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	1 138 446	700 331	8 221 693	2 077 725
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	0	0
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	87 964 727	33 915 327	803 001 061	164 652 620
TOLL SERVICE REVENUES					
MESSAGE TOLLS					
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	37 009 430	19 527 241	317 819 398	94 340 053
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	0	0	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	37 009 430	19 527 241	317 819 398	94 340 053
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	3 853 746	1 825 001	31 645 848	9 411 001
TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
121	TELEPHONE	1 333 698	880 035	23 787 054	3 530 405
122	TELETYPEWRITER	351 013	222 658	3 944 969	799 176
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	9 899	7 462	123 595	29 126
124	TELPAK	1 368 510	1 032 078	19 857 947	3 391 312
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION-AUDIO	62 616	47 159	705 569	134 177
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION-VIDEO	268 726	199 567	3 250 274	1 198 346
127	OTHER SERVICES	350 630	285 555	5 060 291	818 497
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	3 745 092	2 674 515	56 729 698	9 901 041
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	0	0
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	44 608 268	24 026 757	406 194 944	113 652 095
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES					
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	6 285	2 171	44 467	6 686
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	0	0	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	3 372 842	2 751 690	33 667 259	12 884 448
134	RENT REVENUES	464 995	163 889	3 587 872	1 112 616
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	0	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	82 553	25 851	749 353	244 371
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	3 926 675	2 943 601	38 048 951	14 248 120
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	645 000	385 179	8 083 757	1 534 220
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	135 854 670	60 500 506	1 239 161 198	291 018 614
140	REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE	28 859 551	20 135 396	282 710 447	60 394 663
OPERATING EXPENSES					
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	27 495 599	13 136 715	220 787 763	54 427 280
DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES					
142	DEPRECIATION	20 689 635	9 023 726	167 175 236	45 983 080
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	5 361	0	31 467	7 110
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	0	0	683	0
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	0	7 834	0
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	20 694 996	9 023 726	167 215 220	45 990 190

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NO	ITEM	13 CINCINNATI BELL INC	14 DIAMOND STATE TELEPHONE CO	15 ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE CO	16 INDIANA BELL TELEPHONE CO INC
	TRAFFIC EXPENSES				
147	OPERATORS' WAGES	7,724,015	3,083,284	63,615,031	17,693,880
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	2,550,582	931,994	22,090,923	6,361,727
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	10,274,597	4,015,278	85,705,954	24,055,607
	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES				
150	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	9,340,549	4,732,374	88,673,235	20,656,547
151		10,336,725	3,557,153	77,856,543	13,595,422
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES				
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	0	0	0
153	OPERATING RENTS	896,001	639,896	6,348,236	2,610,767
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	8,993,537	3,226,924	79,651,493	16,249,375
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	1,295,306	569,322	11,803,063	2,727,870
156	OTHER EXPENSES 6/	- 401,863	- 278,189	1,007,327	1,367,674
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	10,782,981	4,157,954	98,810,119	22,955,686
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	88,925,447	38,623,200	739,048,835	181,680,732
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	65.46	63.84	59.64	62.43
	COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE				
160	DEPRECIABLE ACCOUNTS	5.19	5.05	5.11	5.33
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	\$ 15	\$ 02	\$ 07	\$ 30
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	0	0
	MILES OF WIRE				
	CABLE				
163	AERIAL	2,305,081	709,768	5,502,496	3,060,259
164	UNDERGROUND	3,159,450	1,101,669	27,243,171	5,947,771
165	BURIED	124,866	746,561	6,230,408	2,317,776
166	SUBMARINE	299	2,077	24,000	11,031
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	5,589,696	2,560,075	39,000,075	11,336,837
168	AERIAL WIRE	13,065	3,990	36,765	36,687
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	5,602,761	2,564,065	39,036,840	11,373,524
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	4,021	1,299	14,699	8,441
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	4,158	1,360	31,952	7,556
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	7/	0	159	7/ 20
	CARRIER CHANNEL				
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	375,203	307,640	6,064,682	1,634,026
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	3,727	4,096	249,015	61,611
175	MILES OF VIDEO	97	13	965	1,927
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	5	98	1,118	517
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	95	44	2,042	768
	CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
178	ELECTRONIC	30	0	71	15
179	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	39	46	158	200
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	84	10	485	30
182	PANEL DIAL	12	0	14	0
183	OTHER DIAL	0	0	0	0
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	165	56	728	245
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
185	ELECTRONIC	163,534	0	625,000	155,321
186	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	81,299	303,492	705,070	1,349,524
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	572,374	106,665	4,921,493	288,342
189	PANEL DIAL	116,867	0	184,676	0
190	OTHER DIAL	0	0	0	0
191	MOBILE	175	132	1,266	1,204

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NO	ITEM	13 CINCINNATI BELL INC	14 DIAMOND STATE TELEPHONE CO	15 ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE CO	16 INDIANA BELL TELEPHONE CO INC
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS				
192	MAIN	512 751	203 500	3 363 241	914 501
193	PBX	120 091	59 611	948 653	205 854
194	EXTENSION	301 407	147 178	2 125 611	674 036
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER				
195	BUSINESS	238 343	104 435	1 727 843	412 337
196	COIN	12 222	5 111	90 601	19 616
197	RESIDENCE	683 684	300 743	4 619 061	1 362 438
198	COMPANY TELEPHONES	934 249	410 289	6 437 505	1 794 391
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	0	0	0	1 583
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	2 231	1 156	21 246	4 323
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	936 480	411 445	6 458 751	1 800 297
202	WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES	1 105	442	6 961	2 678
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	14 730	4 401	91 506	9 469
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	48 869	17 735	434 189	78 176
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	915 333	398 853	6 320 135	1 748 376
	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 9				
206	LOCAL CALLS	1 723 000 000	590 900 000	9 766 300 000	3 143 900 000
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	1 882	1 481	1 545	1 798
208	TOLL CALLS	60 325 020	38 022 683	561 053 537	139 599 433
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	66	95	89	80
	TELEGRAPH STATIONS				
210	PRIVATE LINE-TELETYPEWRITER	862	467	5 250	1 470
211	PRIVATE LINE- MORSE AND OTHER	0	0	0	0
212	DATA PHONE SERVICE- TELETYPEWRITER	237	96	2 287	416
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	1 099	563	7 537	1 886
	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE				
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING				
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING				
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE				
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS				
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	5 695	17 715	47 557	13 236
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	14 593	37 726	120 706	42 887
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES				
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 10	2	3	5	14
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	206	142	1 514	1 204
223	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	0	390	64	1 236
	EMPLOYMENT PENSIONS ETC				
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	5 334	3 438	41 353	10 456
225	MALE	2 812	1 614	20 395	5 042
226	FEMALE	2 522	1 823	20 958	5 414
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	56 654 188	24 074 259	456 030 858	108 777 835
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	43 859 000	17 100 000	357 700 000	85 100 000
	BENEFITS 11				
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR	1 645	484	18 810	3 048
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	578 922	251 584	6 048 700	1 304 550
	PENSIONS				
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	898	208	10 708	1 670
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	2 965 727	598 582	30 991 657	4 743 292
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	11 048 806	4 446 956	97 995 998	20 927 333

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NO	ITEM	17 MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE CO	18 MOUNTAIN STATES TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	19 NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	20 NEW JERSEY BELL TELEPHONE CO
BALANCE SHEET--ASSETS					
COMMUNICATION PLANT					
1 TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	2,465,411,992	2,881,014,255	3,341,503,052	2,576,809,109	
2 TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	109,430,982	117,894,269	178,098,465	65,397,458	
3 PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	3,070,171	2,874,168	2,607,731	1,126,657	
4 TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	46,065	0	0	
5 SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	0	0	0	
6 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	2,577,913,145	3,001,828,757	3,522,209,248	2,643,333,223	
7 LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	590,444,688	618,380,824	805,775,539	600,551,241	
8 AMORTIZATION RESERVE	0	0	0	0	
9 EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	0	0	0	
10 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--NET	1,987,468,457	2,383,447,933	2,716,433,709	2,042,781,983	
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11 INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	2,843,412	0	0	
12 ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	473,000	0	0	
13 MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	36,724	377,127	1,980,608	134,177	
14 OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	7,611	320,275	0	7,000	
15 TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	44,336	4,013,814	1,980,608	141,177	
CURRENT ASSETS					
16 CASH	5,489,000	4,379,597	6,798,655	8,024,518	
17 TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	0	0	0	0	
18 NOTES RECEIVABLE	63,191	250	0	0	
19 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS, AGENTS AND OTHERS	94,625,864	109,770,171	169,974,342	129,274,802	
20 MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	12,152,223	21,916,790	14,750,531	10,357,446	
21 ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	1,574,421	903,146	2,121,789	1,804,155	
22 TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	113,904,700	136,969,954	193,645,317	149,460,921	
23 OTHER ASSETS	0	0	0	0	
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24 PREPAID ACCOUNTS	13,547,986	16,128,824	27,319,688	15,225,825	
25 ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	10,626,469	14,944,129	16,951,461	8,972,066	
26 TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	24,174,455	31,072,953	44,271,149	24,197,891	
27 TOTAL ASSETS	2,125,591,947	2,555,504,654	2,956,330,783	2,216,581,972	
BALANCE SHEET--LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28 COMMON STOCK	880,000,000	731,610,813	783,172,800	995,000,000	
29 PREFERRED STOCK	0	0	0	0	
30 CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	0	0	0	
31 INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
32 PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	163,066,807	317,316,619	0	
33 OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	0	0	0	0	
34 RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	310,000	0	0	0	
35 UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	206,914,307	385,119,087	214,139,751	221,118,402	
36 LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
37 CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	0	0	0	0	
38 TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	1,087,224,307	1,279,796,707	1,314,629,170	1,216,118,402	
LONG-TERM DEBT					
FUNDED DEBT					
39 MORTGAGE BONDS	0	0	20,000,000	0	
40 BONDENTURES	710,000,000	740,000,000	1,155,000,000	635,000,000	
41 OTHER FUNDED DEBT	50,000,000	75,000,000	100,000,000	50,000,000	
42 TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	760,000,000	815,000,000	1,275,000,000	685,000,000	
43 ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	16,700,000	93,700,000	23,200,000	28,300,000	
44 ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	133,100	1,632,226	5,945,242	0	
45 TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	776,833,100	910,332,226	1,304,145,242	713,300,000	
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46 NOTES PAYABLE	6,200,000	57,850,000	76,745,000	87,720,000	
47 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	78,366,564	110,140,708	91,951,084	67,866,601	
48 TAXES ACCRUED	70,404,366	57,334,798	26,273,581	26,228,462	
49 OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	40,145,518	58,038,325	54,227,185	37,378,370	
50 TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	195,116,449	283,363,831	249,196,850	219,193,434	

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	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG TERM DEBT	1 084 201	1 020 569	829 358	1 164 473
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES-ACCEL TAX DEPREC	30 809 679	37 185 186	44 177 645	31 636 489
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	33 849 068	38 379 548	43 095 312	33 271 791
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	675 144	5 426 587	257 206	1 897 383
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	66 418 092	82 011 890	88 359 521	67 970 136
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	2 125 591 947	2 555 504 654	2 956 330 783	2 216 581 972
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	778 214 478	902 777 070	1 050 084 265	850 647 491
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	504 906 836	560 454 522	720 859 741	538 654 688
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	273 307 642	342 322 548	329 224 524	311 992 803
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	45 854 614	52 614 203	21 908 218	53 685 554
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED-ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	14 599 877	20 516 800	22 596 456	18 509 883
64	STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	12 937 627	7 548 813	7 901 173	0
65	PROPERTY TAXES	42 665 456	59 520 459	62 386 126	55 966 217
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	0	7 251 914	16 899 319	18 818 921
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	12 265 070	12 143 305	20 026 721	13 347 463
68	OTHER TAXES	4 918 352	702 649	243 231	618 910
69	TOTAL TAXES	133 240 997	160 298 143	151 961 244	160 946 948
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	0	0	0	0
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS- NET	8 237 434	12 404 154	13 796 065	8 193 224
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	131 829 211	169 620 251	163 467 215	142 852 630
	OTHER INCOME				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	0	238 854	0	0
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	7 169 977	9 032 830	14 108 124	4 599 165
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	147 069	217 319	119 184	133 076
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	-6 791	2 169	-409	160
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	7 310 255	9 491 172	14 226 899	4 732 401
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	460 209	730 893	757 498	441 550
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	138 679 257	178 380 530	176 936 616	147 143 482
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	41 866 666	52 399 992	67 207 621	37 953 724
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	5 427 534	7 983 320	8 077 164	7 097 726
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	41 216	72 554	270 627	63 747
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	47 335 416	60 455 866	75 555 412	45 115 197
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	91 343 841	117 924 664	101 381 204	102 028 285
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	21 646	3 767	6 764	13 802
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	1 235 763	5 604	41 982	4 549
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS--NET	-630 949	-881	-17 818	69 351
88	NET INCOME	90 760 673	117 923 708	101 363 804	101 968 188
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	195 898 634	338 909 135	189 346 284	212 650 215
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	884	16 175 400	0
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	131 928	331 347	0
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERVES OR APPROPRIATIONS	286 659 307	456 701 799	306 554 141	314 618 403
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	2 500	-1 770 000	0	0
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	79 747 500	73 352 713	92 414 390	93 500 000
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	206 914 307	385 119 087	214 139 751	221 118 402
	DIVIDENDS				
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
96	COMMON STOCK	79 747 500	73 352 713	92 414 390	93 500 000
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	9 80	10 88	11 80	10 00
98	PREFERRED STOCK	0	0	0	0
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE				

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NO	ITEM	17 MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE CO	18 MOUNTAIN STATES TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	19 NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	20 NEW JERSEY BELL TELEPHONE CO
	OPERATING REVENUES				
	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES				
	SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES				
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	428,507,809	427,580,600	529,068,899	382,610,947
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES	428,507,809	427,580,600	529,068,899	382,610,947
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	16,082,636	8,958,283	12,004,780	15,054,071
104	SERVICE STATIONS	12,606	671,106	1,996	0
	LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
105	TELEPHONE	1,935,144	2,502,181	2,624,416	1,970,228
106	TELETYPEWRITER	1,847,726	1,087,696	688,985	444,341
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	2,865	973	7,439	27,038
108	TELPAK	0	0	0	0
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	335,910	218,149	221,323	186,871
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	1,532,135	102,059	152,636	71,021
111	OTHER SERVICES	2,088,074	2,812,867	3,985,990	2,777,216
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	7,741,854	6,723,925	7,680,789	5,476,714
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	274,274	30,568	102,435	0
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	452,619,180	443,964,482	548,858,899	403,141,733
	TOLL SERVICE REVENUES				
	MESSAGE TOLLS				
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	233,197,364	348,511,698	394,852,079	344,674,082
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	0	0	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	233,197,364	348,511,698	394,852,079	344,674,082
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	23,371,767	33,927,593	35,217,878	26,916,491
	TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
121	TELEPHONE	8,111,102	11,202,183	15,740,385	13,332,971
122	TELETYPEWRITER	2,691,906	3,544,705	3,898,294	3,792,559
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	104,055	103,755	111,368	114,718
124	TELPAK	9,094,087	15,531,531	13,201,324	14,135,250
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	384,845	635,618	625,589	697,099
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	1,485,095	3,017,043	2,808,588	2,932,661
127	OTHER SERVICES	3,045,590	3,436,147	4,890,010	4,233,694
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	24,916,681	37,470,982	41,275,558	39,238,952
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	0	38,527	0	0
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	281,485,812	419,948,800	471,345,515	410,829,525
	MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES				
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	34,208	27,966	38,893	41,278
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	0	0	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	43,163,093	41,318,462	33,892,615	38,848,980
134	RENT REVENUES	4,128,785	2,425,960	2,425,770	3,415,891
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	15,552	0	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	521,010	691,513	380,139	178,394
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	47,847,096	44,479,453	36,737,417	42,484,544
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	3,737,609	5,615,665	6,857,566	5,808,310
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	778,214,478	902,777,070	1,050,084,265	850,647,491
140	REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE	142,598,828	277,620,331	287,802,771	234,228,452
	OPERATING EXPENSES				
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	162,766,631	159,382,319	243,753,086	172,513,302
	DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES				
142	DEPRECIATION	113,259,006	142,129,953	151,676,253	114,832,844
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	13,170	42,533	2,317	24,501
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	0	0	0
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	113,272,175	142,172,486	151,678,570	114,857,346

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NO	ITEM	17 MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE CO	18 MOUNTAIN STATES TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	19 NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	20 NEW JERSEY BELL TELEPHONE CO
	TRAFFIC EXPENSES				
147	OPERATORS WAGES	47 961 359	59 681 953	69 832 102	49 857 552
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	14 512 906	13 056 829	20 975 362	18 377 743
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	62 474 265	72 738 782	90 807 464	68 235 296
150	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES	62 283 778	79 002 337	81 574 832	76 593 899
151	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	44 856 110	43 649 284	67 534 286	42 698 741
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES				
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	0	0	0
153	OPERATING RENTS	6 919 689	9 067 405	9 384 210	7 641 011
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	47 267 982	46 640 194	70 930 089	48 434 994
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	7 101 201	8 392 444	9 901 321	7 893 114
156	OTHER EXPENSES 6	-2 034 995	-590 729	-4 704 117	-213 015
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	59 253 877	63 509 314	85 511 503	63 756 105
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	504 906 836	560 454 522	720 859 741	538 654 688
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	64 88	62 08	68 65	63 32
	COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE				
160	DEPRECIABLE ACCOUNTS	4 96	5 50	5 02	4 84
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	4 93	5 46	4 98	4 81
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	0	0
	MILES OF WIRE CABLE				
163	AERIAL	10 030 401	6 426 200	15 609 258	12 144 021
164	UNDERGROUND	15 626 157	16 598 472	17 323 253	15 984 341
165	BURIED	4 849 678	8 786 726	3 538 942	1 385 928
166	SUBMARINE	30 733	6 148	133 918	129 876
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	30 536 969	31 817 546	36 605 371	29 644 166
168	AERIAL WIRE	114 695	436 825	149 785	42 214
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	30 651 664	32 254 371	36 755 156	29 686 380
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	18 684	52 064	28 839	15 311
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	18 070	18 834	24 286	20 705
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	7 / 1 044	7 1 913	0	0
	CARRIER CHANNEL				
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	5 784 040	8 419 001	5 003 485	3 757 460
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	209 524	449 338	173 713	70 719
175	MILES OF VIDEO	23 340	573	123	61
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	1 887	629	1 173	376
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	1 453	15 840	2 471	497
	CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
178	ELECTRONIC	41	43	32	49
179	MANUAL	1	0	0	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	325	851	667	43
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	275	196	330	442
182	PANEL DIAL	28	0	21	11
183	OTHER DIAL	1	0	0	0
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	671	1 090	1 050	545
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
185	ELECTRONIC	345 087	307 491	232 039	512 668
186	MANUAL	2 445	0	0	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	1 624 282	3 262 008	2 401 034	222 142
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	2 689 138	1 270 286	2 627 189	4 225 429
189	PANEL DIAL	252 368	0	239 403	125 666
190	OTHER DIAL	609	0	0	0
191	MOBILE	1 458	2 337	1 170	495

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NO	ITEM	17 MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE CO	18 MOUNTAIN STATES TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	19 NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	20 NEW JERSEY BELL TELEPHONE CO
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS				
192	MAIN	2,670,649	2,720,155	3,203,115	2,712,134
193	PBX	613,265	633,290	779,620	612,972
194	EXTENSION	1,631,473	1,488,677	1,518,100	1,761,294
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER				
195	BUSINESS	1,196,548	1,330,439	1,493,493	1,224,870
196	COIN	53,647	63,070	94,538	80,103
197	RESIDENCE	3,665,192	3,448,613	3,912,804	3,781,427
198	COMPANY TELEPHONES	4,915,387	4,842,122	5,500,835	5,086,400
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	3,130	62,767	3,531	24,651
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	21,073	20,034	20,099	16,110
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	4,939,590	4,924,923	5,524,465	5,127,161
202	WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES	6,425	4,289	9,402	4,148
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	45,270	129,418	146,360	121,249
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	240,436	282,729	199,209	174,231
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	4,821,318	4,716,754	5,403,820	4,996,818
	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 9				
206	LOCAL CALLS	8,328,500,000	8,228,900,000	8,178,800,000	6,584,643,283
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	1,727	1,745	1,514	1,318
208	TOLL CALLS	471,879,742	443,194,772	888,189,625	1,238,996,620
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	98	94	164	248
	TELEGRAPH STATIONS				
210	PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER	4,353	3,587	4,456	4,452
211	PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER	0	0	0	0
212	DATA-PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER	1,668	1,738	2,030	1,706
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	6,021	5,325	6,486	6,158
	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE				
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING				
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING				
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE				
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS				
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	10,738	0	29,174	1,725
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	24,734	0	80,168	3,478
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES				
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 10/	17	155	21	10
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE WAY				
	SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	1,569	2,369	1,350	538
223	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	586	4,260	1,440	0
	EMPLOYMENT PENSIONS, ETC				
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	29,182	35,824	48,603	31,286
225	MALE	13,520	16,822	24,285	15,171
226	FEMALE	15,662	19,002	24,318	16,115
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	313,721,870	338,351,832	490,147,138	329,074,369
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	241,100,000	247,391,000	363,300,000	257,800,000
	BENEFITS 11/				
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR	9,038	4,837	17,992	10,607
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	4,757,744	2,796,548	6,523,195	4,164,200
	PENSIONS				
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	4,020	3,412	8,875	5,542
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	12,917,658	9,595,536	24,497,753	16,412,014
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	60,281,425	61,962,325	93,137,734	60,896,604

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NO	ITEM	21 NEW YORK TELEPHONE CO	22 NORTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO	23 OHIO BELL TELEPHONE CO	24 PACIFIC NORTHWEST BELL TELEPHONE CO
BALANCE SHEET ASSETS					
COMMUNICATION PLANT					
1 TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	7 239 672 761	2 341 516 499	1 950 624 234	1 606 977 142	
2 TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	658 719 732	100 567 711	95 663 236	58 261 345	
3 PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	18 564 171	2 088 159	2 423 084	2 740 568	
4 TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	- 312 453	0	0	
5 SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	0	0	0	
6 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT - GROSS	7 916 956 663	2 443 859 917	2 048 710 554	1 667 979 055	
7 LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	1 730 635 393	482 711 670	460 939 512	336 984 955	
8 AMORTIZATION RESERVE	0	0	273 365	0	
9 EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	0	0	0	
10 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT - NET	6 186 321 271	1 961 148 242	1 587 497 677	1 330 994 100	
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11 INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	53 258 400	0	0	0	
12 ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
13 MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	2 211 726	1 805 224	652 113	540 681	
14 OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	2 217 050	488 350	920 121	18 709	
15 TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	57 687 177	2 293 574	1 572 234	559 390	
CURRENT ASSETS					
16 CASH	32 943 108	3 884 801	2 489 270	7 298 069	
17 TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	0	0	0	0	
18 NOTES RECEIVABLE	127 017	0	0	0	
19 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS AGENTS AND OTHERS	412 084 917	81 484 946	82 362 507	72 424 044	
20 MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	37 147 532	12 836 680	9 242 256	8 193 755	
21 ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	17 460 169	873 554	361 376	471 612	
22 TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	499 762 744	99 079 982	94 455 409	88 387 479	
23 OTHER ASSETS	0	0	0	0	
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24 PREPAID ACCOUNTS	43 498 339	14 508 385	22 429 523	16 193 889	
25 ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	25 947 891	9 610 909	7 042 420	6 643 086	
26 TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	69 446 230	24 119 294	29 471 943	22 836 975	
27 TOTAL ASSETS	6 813 217 422	2 086 641 096	1 712 997 263	1 442 777 944	
BALANCE SHEET - LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28 COMMON STOCK	3 496 300 000	870 000 000	760 000 000	478 955 301	
29 PREFERRED STOCK	0	0	0	0	
30 CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	0	0	0	
31 INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
32 PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	14 269 120	0	0	58 571 604	
33 OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	0	0	0	0	
34 RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	0	0	0	0	
35 UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	293 219 405	179 022 009	113 790 516	147 682 901	
36 LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
37 CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	0	0	0	0	
38 TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	3 803 788 525	1,049 022 009	873 790 516	685 209 806	
LONG TERM DEBT					
FUNDING DEBT					
39 MORTGAGE BONDS	1 885 000 000	0	0	0	
40 DEBENTURES	0	675 000 000	390 000 000	425 000 000	
41 OTHER FUNDED DEBT	0	50 000 000	50 000 000	75 000 000	
42 TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	1 885 000 000	725 000 000	440 000 000	500 000 000	
43 ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	15 600 000	80 000 000	47 700 000	
44 ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	4 188 644	3 047 478	0	385 339	
45 TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	1 889 188 644	743 647 478	520 000 000	548 085 339	
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46 NOTES PAYABLE	563 325 000	34 141 000	99 697 110	55 036 742	
47 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	185 554 098	69 533 952	60 571 612	50 157 719	
48 TAXES ACCRUED	60 557 652	64 119 626	52 925 980	25 973 833	
49 OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	114 093 782	60 615 814	33 562 083	34 141 212	
50 TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	923 530 533	228 410 393	246 756 785	165 309 506	

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NO	ITEM	21 NEW YORK TELEPHONE CO	22 NORTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO	23 OHIO BELL TELEPHONE CO	24 PACIFIC NORTHWEST BELL TELEPHONE CO
	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG-TERM DEBT	4,199,751	715,365	166,189	1,305,316
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES-ACCEL TAX DEPREC	92,379,700	32,225,732	22,648,160	19,151,751
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	93,729,789	32,476,749	25,593,865	22,983,634
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	6,400,480	143,370	24,041,748	732,591
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	196,709,720	65,561,217	72,449,962	44,173,292
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	6,813,217,422	2,086,641,096	1,712,997,263	1,442,777,944
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	2,620,088,512	733,050,002	637,850,688	530,720,916
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	1,759,630,784	447,153,699	460,222,755	341,074,644
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	860,457,728	285,896,303	177,627,933	189,646,271
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	82,987,442	51,770,620	8,180,927	27,868,833
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED-ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	50,447,988	16,281,879	12,624,419	10,051,399
64	STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	42,014	13,378,027	11	2,144,794
65	PROPERTY TAXES	212,845,321	24,531,615	42,461,458	24,421,148
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	94,492,741	22,492,940	18,482,385	20,293,570
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	48,348,891	9,976,605	10,200,814	8,668,683
68	OTHER TAXES	13,985,797	114,123	611,486	332,800
69	TOTAL TAXES	503,150,194	138,545,809	92,561,500	93,781,227
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FEO INCOME TAX	24,569	11	174	2,641
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	21,718,747	8,514,713	6,127,277	5,856,825
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	335,613,356	138,835,792	78,939,330	90,010,861
	OTHER INCOME				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	1,662,920	0	140,264	0
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	41,565,910	6,702,956	5,955,017	4,744,878
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	2,124,104	148,509	143,452	119,757
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	-56,200	19,678	2,983	-15,874
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	45,296,734	6,871,143	6,241,716	4,848,761
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCDME	2,312,472	579,663	2,551,132	372,582
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	378,597,618	145,127,272	82,629,914	94,487,040
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	109,237,500	41,673,956	30,181,250	31,445,858
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	20,383,953	4,743,150	7,290,559	3,377,509
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	-123,224	133,928	122,795	-19
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	129,498,229	46,551,034	37,594,604	34,823,348
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	249,099,390	98,576,237	45,035,310	59,663,692
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	51,708	21,194	45,399	25
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	288,557	404,230	3,234	13,379
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORD AND DELAYED ITEMS--NET	-76,713	-2,544	12,481	13,505
88	NET INCOME	248,939,254	98,195,745	45,064,994	59,636,833
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	311,347,708	168,707,514	134,400,522	133,443,122
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	773
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	920	0	0	114,782
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERV OR APPROP	560,286,041	266,903,260	179,465,516	192,965,947
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	267,066,637	87,881,250	65,675,000	45,283,047
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	293,219,405	179,022,009	113,790,516	147,682,901
	DIVIDENDS				
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
96	COMMON STOCK	267,066,637	87,881,250	65,675,000	45,283,047
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	8 00	10 75	9 25	9 45
98	PREFERRED STOCK	0	0	0	0
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE				

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NO	ITEM	21 NEW YORK TELEPHONE CO	22 NORTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO	23 OHIO BELL TELEPHONE CO	24 PACIFIC NORTHWEST BELL TELEPHONE CO
	OPERATING REVENUES				
	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES				
	SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES				
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	1 533 625 467	339 827 430	349 568 580	257 775 414
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES	1 533 625 467	339 827 430	349 568 580	257 775 414
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	55 026 527	6 275 638	10 060 403	5 812 772
104	SERVICE STATIONS	106 803	230 535	269 745	207 969
	LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
105	TELEPHONE	9 316 977	2 959 278	1 465 770	1 928 765
106	TELETYPEWRITER	6 662 984	750 191	1 113 388	222 686
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	99 079	7 117	6 544	3 154
108	TELPAC	0	0	0	0
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	955 494	294 513	194 870	238 248
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	1 931 397	85 869	1 055 387	110 553
111	OTHER SERVICES	12 159 269	2 032 534	2 621 705	1 188 116
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	31 145 200	6 129 502	6 457 664	3 691 523
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	0	111 575	0	7 046
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	1 619 903 997	352 574 681	366 356 392	267 494 724
	TOLL SERVICE REVENUES				
	MESSAGE TOLLS				
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	774 075 281	287 018 427	193 069 575	183 047 453
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	0	0	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	774 075 281	287 018 427	193 069 575	183 047 453
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	62 425 144	33 754 524	20 226 376	16 217 812
	TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
121	TELEPHONE	33 215 120	9 102 421	10 089 653	10 119 216
122	TELETYPEWRITER	9 343 313	3 334 486	1 986 750	2 976 502
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	388 493	88 965	61 684	40 018
124	TELPAC	39 675 614	11 774 808	8 330 981	11 975 563
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	1 857 510	543 803	363 395	579 472
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	8 251 714	2 349 958	1 687 356	2 320 628
127	OTHER SERVICES	10 981 177	2 655 296	2 392 973	3 581 245
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	103 712 941	29 849 738	24 912 792	31 592 645
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	0	14
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	940 213 365	350 622 689	238 208 743	230 857 923
	MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES				
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	131 853	15 141	26 805	12 867
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	0	0	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	69 674 668	29 752 042	33 888 109	23 952 176
134	RENT REVENUES	6 758 954	2 885 432	2 662 102	2 069 851
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	0	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	1 190 370	1 077 648	420 501	9 184 027
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	77 755 845	33 730 263	36 997 517	35 218 921
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	17 784 696	3 877 630	3 711 964	2 850 653
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	2 620 088 512	733 050 002	637 850 688	530 720 916
140	REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE	644 333 435	200 842 071	121 631 805	139 724 618
	OPERATING EXPENSES				
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	583 214 254	135 574 144	156 461 325	99 734 149
	DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES				
142	DEPRECIATION	359 796 926	108 115 132	92 535 862	80 546 711
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	42 523	4 729	0	44 716
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	0	23	6 027	360
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	0	0	0
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	359 839 449	108 119 884	92 541 889	80 591 786

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NO	ITEM	21 NEW YORK TELEPHONE CO	22 NORTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO	23 OHIO BELL TELEPHONE CO	24 PACIFIC NORTHWEST BELL TELEPHONE CO
	TRAFFIC EXPENSES				
147	OPERATORS' WAGES	153,171,627	44,128,044	40,944,092	30,863,682
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	56,428,467	14,740,289	16,172,012	11,712,101
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	209,600,094	58,868,333	57,116,104	42,575,783
	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES				
150	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	212,402,564	60,499,070	58,124,172	42,623,218
151		156,803,709	33,250,953	41,066,445	28,286,893
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES				
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	0	0	0
153	OPERATING RENTS	47,695,620	5,396,567	6,821,810	5,749,148
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	166,458,442	39,217,355	42,594,007	31,723,950
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	24,848,990	6,798,101	5,928,874	4,797,146
156	OTHER EXPENSES 6/	-1,232,339	-570,706	431,871	4,992,569
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	237,770,714	50,841,316	54,912,820	47,262,814
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	1,759,630,784	447,153,699	460,222,755	341,074,644
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	67 16	61 00	72 15	64 27
	COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE				
160	DEPRECIABLE ACCOUNTS	5 35	5 03	5 15	5 41
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	5 32	5 00	5 12	5 37
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	0	0
	MILES OF WIRE CABLE				
163	AERIAL	20,055,748	3,233,839	9,480,126	5,104,183
164	UNDERGROUND	44,763,488	12,009,460	12,286,191	8,876,255
165	BURIED	5,356,045	9,629,649	1,769,131	3,553,990
166	SUBMARINE	115,528	63,396	19,396	80,536
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	70,290,809	24,936,344	23,554,844	17,614,964
168	AERIAL WIRE	241,508	267,406	84,675	114,131
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	70,532,317	25,203,750	23,639,519	17,729,095
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	31,015	57,910	17,420	12,899
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	32,670	13,782	12,851	9,923
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	7/	17	7/	27
	CARRIER CHANNEL				
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	9/ 10,585,529	7,332,988	2,971,323	8,768,110
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	9/ 244,308	511,769	114,126	516,642
175	MILES OF VIDEO	9/ 15,744	1,526	5,291	4,038
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	3,803	2,232	2,179	3,123
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	1,668	7,698	1,389	5,305
	CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
178	ELECTRONIC	78	30	27	20
179	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP OIAL	351	714	282	269
181	CROSS BAR OIAL	894	241	188	145
182	PANEL OIAL	138	2	23	7
183	OTHER DIAL	0	0	0	0
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	1,461	987	520	441
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
185	ELECTRONIC	631,195	225,242	213,899	132,650
186	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	1,504,179	2,557,358	2,081,532	1,329,670
188	CROSS BAR OIAL	7,859,190	1,514,725	1,742,659	1,156,038
189	PANEL DIAL	1,523,719	24,534	251,034	64,358
190	OTHER DIAL	0	0	0	0
191	MOBILE	1,435	799	925	1,559

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	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS				
192	MAIN	6 346 764	2 267 166	2 278 421	1 528 687
193	PBX	2 028 384	545 391	532 625	340 108
194	EXTENSION	3 144 570	1 510 101	1 479 003	815 480
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER				
195	BUSINESS	3 478 968	1 074 945	1 004 582	737 393
196	COIN	199 918	49 773	53 465	24 074
197	RESIDENCE	7 840 832	3 197 940	3 232 002	1 922 808
198	COMPANY TELEPHONES	11 519 718	4 322 658	4 290 049	2 684 275
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	14 542	18 299	30 428	17 268
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	59 348	9 760	13 659	8 364
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	11 593 608	4 350 717	4 334 136	2 709 907
202	WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES	6 254	8 137	4 862	2 747
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	161 579	62 149	39 145	43 496
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	455 319	232 907	198 146	206 600
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	11 440 326	4 250 475	4 233 710	2 640 178
	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 9				
206	LOCAL CALLS	17 835 288 000	6 580 800 000	6 928 300 000	4 440 740 000
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	1 559	1 548	1 636	1 682
208	TOLL CALLS	1 157 680 715	326 721 099	302 828 354	291 190 212
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	101	77	72	110
	TELEGRAPH STATIONS				
210	PRIVATE LINE- TELETYPEWRITER	16 289	3 051	3 740	2 945
211	PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER	0	0	0	0
212	DATA PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER	4 215	1 904	1 501	796
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	20 504	4 955	5 241	3 741
	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE				
215	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING				
216	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING				
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE				
219	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS				
220	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	76 550	0	0	44 681
221	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	164 068	0	0	74 594
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES				
222	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 10	19	20	12	39
223	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	2 050	795	1 079	2 104
224	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	312	74	1 242	6 079
	EMPLOYMENT PENSIONS ETC				
225	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	95 539	27 050	26 694	18 520
226	MALE	47 327	12 460	13 373	8 549
227	FEMALE	48 212	14 590	13 321	9 971
228	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	1 117 750 123	260 239 184	284 300 857	195 851 688
229	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	873 000 000	1 994 000	227 793 000	158 800 000
	BENEFITS 11				
230	NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR	33 936	7 438	9 239	5 446
231	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	15 463 579	2 334 066	3 257 009	2 309 012
	PENSIONS				
232	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	19 795	4 83	3 872	3 413
233	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	62 145 409	13 963 623	12 675 045	10 143 219
234	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	211 143 967	49 680 881	52 104 513	39 590 977

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	BALANCE SHEET--ASSETS				
	COMMUNICATION PLANT				
1	TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	6,938,913,394	3,714,763,514	4,523,502,501	1,151,228,650
2	TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	308,908,224	112,440,619	208,509,792	24,177,733
3	PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	3,394,452	4,350,350	7,609,585	781,438
4	TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	112,116	0	0	0
5	SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
6	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	7,251,328,185	3,831,554,483	4,739,621,878	1,176,187,821
7	LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	1,511,056,029	821,314,960	875,045,541	294,870,131
8	AMORTIZATION RESERVE	0	0	0	0
9	EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	0	0	0
10	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--NET	5,740,272,155	3,010,239,523	3,864,576,337	881,317,690
	INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS				
11	INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	106,000,000	0	0	0
12	ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	3,800,000	0	0	0
13	MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	3,460,533	350,916	523,872	518,203
14	OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	12,209	31,049	19,361	888,405
15	TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	113,272,742	381,965	543,233	1,406,608
	CURRENT ASSETS				
16	CASH	23,102,605	4,184,796	4,694,706	3,743,006
17	TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	5,467,078	0	0	0
18	NOTES RECEIVABLE	0	1,073,737	14,303	0
19	ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS, AGENTS AND OTHERS	329,219,341	149,446,733	247,654,429	50,366,138
20	MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	32,139,923	21,848,211	29,469,535	6,041,742
21	ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	2,354,254	771,787	991,228	800,000
22	TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	392,283,201	177,325,264	282,824,201	60,950,885
23	OTHER ASSETS	0	0	0	0
	PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES				
24	PREPAID ACCOUNTS	68,451,153	19,558,735	20,240,413	6,186,117
25	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	26,191,469	11,490,284	20,617,632	1,116,082
26	TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	94,642,622	31,049,019	40,858,045	7,302,199
27	TOTAL ASSETS	6,340,470,720	3,218,995,771	4,188,801,816	950,977,383
	BALANCE SHEET--LIABILITIES				
	CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS				
28	COMMON STOCK	2,160,906,844	1,306,627,040	1,838,000,000	249,798,875
29	PREFERRED STOCK	82,000,000	0	0	50,000,000
30	CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	0	0	0
31	INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	1,144,141
32	PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	172,777,449	0	0	59,489,602
33	OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	146,989,667	0	0	0
34	RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	0	0	0	0
35	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	407,618,214	378,500,848	390,551,549	95,524,656
36	LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0
37	CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	0	0	0	0
38	TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	2,970,292,174	1,685,127,888	2,228,551,549	455,957,275
	LONG-TERM DEBT				
	FUNDED DEBT				
39	MORTGAGE BONDS	0	0	0	0
40	OEBENTURES	2,272,000,000	945,000,000	1,015,000,000	385,000,000
41	OTHER FUNDED DEBT	75,000,000	125,000,000	175,000,000	0
42	TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	2,347,000,000	1,070,000,000	1,190,000,000	385,000,000
43	ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	185,000,000	32,500,000	25,000,000	0
44	ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	0	4,222,574	798,974	13,950,000
45	TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	2,532,000,000	1,106,722,574	1,215,798,974	398,950,000
	CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES				
46	NOTES PAYABLE	269,700,000	51,276,300	176,052,000	3,000,000
47	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	191,571,296	133,307,660	240,269,557	27,690,795
48	TAXES ACCRUED	51,095,886	50,142,516	52,018,082	12,829,700
49	OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	138,300,614	82,461,351	125,753,246	22,715,006
50	TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	650,667,795	317,187,827	594,092,885	66,235,500

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	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG TERM DEBT	6 614 883	1 494 708	2 152 145	379 891
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES ACCEL TAX DEPREC	82 361 943	45 088 433	68 904 072	14 345 178
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	90 460 919	55 402 212	69 847 617	13 998 743
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	8 073 005	7 972 129	9 454 574	1 110 796
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	187 510 750	109 957 482	150 358 408	29 834 608
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	6 340 470 720	3 218 995 771	4 188 801 816	950 977 383
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	2 357 155 187	1 212 333 738	1 506 597 931	364 429 012
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	1 638 859 019	771 607 851	973 452 198	238 149 805
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	718 296 168	440 725 887	533 145 733	126 279 207
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	81 761 978	74 247 171	85 911 648	13 814 324
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED-ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	42 858 943	22 615 201	35 721 512	7 195 059
64	STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	23 292 314	11 021 336	17 965 456	5 233 119
65	PROPERTY TAXES	159 541 844	47 171 625	63 670 466	4 243 182
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	405 293	37 635 338	25 751 736	23 913 731
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	40 053 843	17 492 001	20 915 141	6 016 733
68	OTHER TAXES	1 990 699	5 079 139	1 028 312	131 681
69	TOTAL TAXES	349 904 914	215 261 811	250 964 271	60 547 829
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	5 158	821	6 223	0
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	23 335 074	15 963 402	22 931 905	4 323 103
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	345 061 339	209 501 495	259 255 780	61 408 275
	OTHER INCOME				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	6 912 500	316	300	55 341
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	20 401 706	8 184 733	13 501 529	2 768 474
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	779 079	89 247	455 848	120 435
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	-1 646	1 101	91 856	-37 126
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	28 091 639	8 275 397	14 049 533	2 907 124
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	1 710 346	1 607 970	1 411 710	309 711
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	371 442 632	216 168 922	271 893 603	64 005 688
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	135 281 872	62 972 968	65 482 813	22 512 498
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	17 935 622	6 260 941	13 385 785	2 282 784
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	99 284	35 572	321 303	-3 915
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	153 118 211	69 269 481	79 189 901	24 791 367
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	218 324 421	146 899 441	192 703 702	39 214 321
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	44 120	220 155	506	75 694
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	127 344	41 564	1 867 212	0
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS--NET	-9 798	72 979	-551 167	25 118
88	NET INCOME	218 250 995	147 005 053	191 388 163	39 264 897
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	407 959 813	340 094 527	348 280 386	83 792 796
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	30 247 221	0	0	5 347
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	62 403 648	2 300	0	197 773
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERVES OR APPROPRIATIONS	594 054 381	487 097 280	539 668 549	122 865 267
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	186 436 168	108 596 432	149 117 000	27 340 610
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	407 618 214	378 500 848	390 551 549	95 524 656
	DIVIDENDS				
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
96	COMMON STOCK	181 516 168	108 596 432	149 117 000	26 353 766
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	8 40	9 00	8 77	10 64
98	PREFERRED STOCK	4 920 000	0	0	986 844
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	6 00			7 64

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NO	ITEM	25 PACIFIC TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	26 SOUTH CENTRAL BELL TELEPHONE CO	27 SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	28 SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE CO
	OPERATING REVENUES				
	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES				
	SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES				
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	1,054,766,357	611,011 312	708,689,227	173,785,309
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES	1,054,766,357	611,011,332	708,689,227	173,785,309
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	34,262,517	12,943,545	17,807,204	4,787,905
104	SERVICE STATIONS	330,015	659,128	1,213,158	0
	LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
105	TELEPHONE	4,585,367	2,200,057	2,497,788	475,194
106	TELETYPEWRITER	1,664,267	453,271	862,422	177,221
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	6,543	1,451	16,377	0
108	TELPAK	0	0	0	0
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	723,627	455,790	458,925	50,748
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	437,770	178,287	999,574	13,433
111	OTHER SERVICES	5,203,639	3,370,313	3,772,307	1,099,283
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	12,621,213	6,659,169	8,607,393	1,815,879
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	84,081	437,902	63,232	0
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	1,102,064,183	631,711,076	736,380,214	180,389,093
	TOLL SERVICE REVENUES				
	MESSAGE TOLLS				
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	948,593,036	447,086,217	584,091,558	144,171,800
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	0	0	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	948,593,036	447,086,217	584,091,558	144,171,800
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	51,405,143	44,452,782	65,886,835	13,504,495
	TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
121	TELEPHONE	51,341,237	16,778,099	22,466,186	4,406,398
122	TELETYPEWRITER	14,688,543	3,836,030	6,010,638	717,358
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	567,819	120,080	198,344	21,166
124	TELPAK	51,154,290	15,163,625	23,736,201	3,313,252
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	2,591,927	722,937	1,026,910	139,656
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	10,547,743	3,596,592	5,250,969	593,687
127	OTHER SERVICES	21,701,572	5,039,409	6,334,458	1,261,751
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	152,593,130	45,256,772	65,023,706	10,453,267
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	-33	0
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	1,152,591,309	536,795,771	715,002,066	168,129,561
	MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES				
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	118,775	40,259	62,156	15,608
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	0	0	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	111,850,173	45,934,918	58,259,436	17,054,422
134	RENT REVENUES	8,049,245	3,374,986	5,562,799	999,091
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	0	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	1,479,906	1,319,585	1,501,694	43,830
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	121,498,099	50,669,748	65,386,085	18,112,950
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	18,998,404	6,842,857	10,170,434	2,202,593
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	2,357,155,187	1,212,333,738	1,506,597,931	364,429,012
140	REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE	510,478,118	290,584,017	427,398,420	98,054,970
	OPERATING EXPENSES				
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	528,718,076	245,567,018	325,071,652	70,375,457
	DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES				
142	DEPRECIATION	345,267,346	182,824,998	230,697,056	53,697,174
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	253,669	19,813	-19,360	1,020
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	0	-1,052	0
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	345,521,015	182,844,811	230,676,644	53,698,194

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	TRAFFIC EXPENSES				
147	OPERATORS' WAGES	154 482 774	97 444 310	110 564 901	20 354 434
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	59 017 381	23 342 039	29 692 258	7 453 285
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	213 500 155	120 786 349	140 257 159	27 807 719
	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES	200 851 159	87 766 405	109 823 057	31 418 955
151	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	131 647 400	44 982 482	53,109 494	27 783 615
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES				
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	0	0	0
153	OPERATING RENTS	21 648 758	12 999 150	22,599 671	1 485 875
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	160 224 182	66 263 603	78 703 548	23 642 893
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	21 846 035	11 326 626	13 998 747	3 348 941
156	OTHER EXPENSES 6	14 902,239	- 928 593	- 787 774	-1 411 845
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	218 621 214	89 660 786	114 514 192	27 065 865
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	1 638 859 019	771 607 851	973 452 198	238 149 805
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	69 53	63 65	64 61	65 35
	COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE				
160	DEPRECIABLE ACCOUNTS	5 36	5 39	5 66	5 14
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	5 32	5 36	5 63	5 08
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	0	0
	MILES OF WIRE CABLE				
163	AERIAL	19 255 756	15,923 571	15,225 524	6 565 579
164	UNDERGROUND	46 914 734	17 811 355	27 691 526	5 899 284
165	BURIED	7 265 711	17,125 974	17,528 348	357,203
166	SUBMARINE	135 809	171 456	226 677	31 299
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	73 572,010	51,032,356	60,672 075	12 853 365
168	AERIAL WIRE	196,965	405 123	387 734	53 614
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	73 768,975	51 437,479	61,059 809	12 906,979
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	40 366	61 578	41 395	9 354
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	53,844	20 243	31 568	7 364
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	7 3 777	7 21 7	46	0
	CARRIER CHANNEL				
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	24 827 181	9 746 804	16,355 021	1 214 985
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	1 345 907	644 937	1 070 177	41 000
175	MILES OF VIDEO	5 072	4 647	9 852	288
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	10 989	3,781	6 009	66
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	13 705	6 217	5 962	356
	CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
178	ELECTRONIC	82	20	32	13
179	MANUAL	1	1	0	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	673	1 006	610	196
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	689	330	365	37
182	PANEL DIAL	20	0	0	0
183	OTHER DIAL	0	0	0	0
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	1 465	1 357	1 007	246
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
185	ELECTRONIC	464 986	121 801	246 058	46 765
186	MANUAL	1 720	3 954	0	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	4 669 735	4 367 122	4 513 361	1 882 321
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	5 972 328	2 680 557	3 520 402	197 494
189	PANEL DIAL	168,959	0	0	0
190	OTHER DIAL	0	0	0	0
191	MOBILE	2 368	2 754	2 327	169

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	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS				
192	MAIN	6,339,550	4,143,392	4,406,707	1,121,770
193	PBX	1,595,921	748,601	974,476	278,554
194	EXTENSION	3,344,625	2,284,195	2,900,965	726,425
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER				
195	BUSINESS	3,254,252	1,704,202	2,123,452	535,461
196	COIN	149,442	81,870	97,158	24,543
197	RESIDENCE	7,876,402	5,390,116	6,061,538	1,566,745
198	COMPANY TELEPHONES	11,280,096	7,176,188	8,282,148	2,126,749
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	48,289	54,708	47,603	0
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	37,843	13,732	19,357	8,181
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	11,366,228	7,244,628	8,349,108	2,134,930
202	WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES	13/ 6,662	8,720	15,327	3,734
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	155,511	28,732	134,126	27,389
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	657,627	311,133	416,304	108,963
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	11,072,259	6,993,354	7,942,742	2,096,277
	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 9/				
206	LOCAL CALLS	17,484,255,000	15,332,700,000	15,639,500,000	3,019,500,000
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	1,579	2,192	1,969	1,440
208	TOLL CALLS	1,401,499,303	617,352,808	703,479,288	317,534,636
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	127	88	89	152
	TELEGRAPH STATIONS				
210	PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER	12,758	4,204	7,976	1,031
211	PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER	0	0	0	0
212	DATA-PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER	3,214	1,919	2,509	611
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	15,972	6,123	10,485	1,642
	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE				
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING				
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING				
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE				
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS				
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	90,600	255,112	62,112	0
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	207,810	654,485	228,612	0
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES				
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 10/	34	52	34	15
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	4,347	2,754	2,012	308
223	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	2,213	1,483	717	538
	EMPLOYMENT, PENSIONS, ETC				
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	93,181	50,492	65,199	13,996
225	MALE	41,454	21,842	28,507	7,011
226	FEMALE	51,727	28,650	36,692	6,985
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	996,696,959	454,102,209	593,184,117	149,992,096
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	804,526,000	354,800,000	448,700,000	118,254,000
	BENEFITS 11/				
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR	36,876	12,374	14,639	6,404
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	14,686,292	5,354,456	6,401,984	2,336,141
	PENSIONS				
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	12,754	5,153	3,810	2,234
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	36,409,638	12,479,221	10,529,484	7,164,329
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	194,623,754	84,093,363	102,050,712	29,094,018

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NO	ITEM	29 SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO	30 WISCONSIN TELEPHONE CO	31 TOTAL NON BELL COMPANIES	32 ALL AMERICA CABLES & RADIO INC
BALANCE SHEET ASSETS					
COMMUNICATION PLANT					
1 TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	6 354 125 223	941 896 435	4 623 461 513	12 784 611	
2 TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	301 726 896	26 475 081	225 322 195	1 979 475	
3 PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	3 061 617	899 620	4 124 776	0	
4 TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	- 411 044	239 950	11 275 510	0	
5 SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	0	6 617 374	2 228 405	
6 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT -GROSS	6 658 502 692	969 511 086	4 870 801 368	16 992 491	
7 LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	1 320 079 514	227 177 508	834 910 387	6 488 812	
8 AMORTIZATION RESERVE	0	103 240	686 154	0	
9 EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	0	1 999 096	568 671	
10 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--NET	5 338 423 178	742 230 338	4 033 205 731	9 935 008	
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11 INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	151 000	0	132 170 872	111 238 180	
12 ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	5 000	0	0	0	
13 MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	2 176 626	72 796	24 298 790	10 306 450	
14 OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	672 930	2 839	2 006 432	1 600	
15 TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	3 005 556	75 635	158 476 095	121 546 230	
CURRENT ASSETS					
16 CASH	31 257 231	4 455 919	36 427 783	1 278	
17 TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	0	0	737 951	0	
18 NOTES RECEIVABLE	0	0	4 743 064	0	
19 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS AGENTS AND OTHERS	255 772 466	35 522 131	166 242 628	4 792 904	
20 MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	34 622 332	4 573 881	45 001 661	0	
21 ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	1 528 931	334 989	1 784 173	4 158	
22 TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	323 180 960	44 886 920	254 937 259	4 798 340	
23 OTHER ASSETS	0	0	- 400	0	
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24 PREPAID ACCOUNTS	29 527 492	5 215 928	13 186 200	17 805	
25 ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	17 121 401	1 831 830	48 012 820	39 051	
26 TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	46 648 893	7 047 758	61 199 020	56 856	
27 TOTAL ASSETS	5,711 258 587	794 240 651	4 507 817 704	136 336 434	
BALANCE SHEET--LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28 COMMON STOCK	1 740,000 000	335 000 000	1 094 711 358	3 534 680	
29 PREFERRED STOCK	0	0	105 785 827	0	
30 CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	0	0	0	
31 INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	4 800 000	0	
32 PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	124 140 792	0	
33 OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	0	0	172 538 186	60 950 374	
34 RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	0	0	1 546 587	189 000	
35 UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	1 158 803 268	91 882 334	441 171 775	62 509 927	
36 LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	21 488	0	
37 CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	0	0	780 850	0	
38 TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	2 898 803 268	426 882 334	1 943 892 187	127 183 982	
LONG-TERM DEBT					
FUNDED DEBT					
39 MORTGAGE BONDS	0	0	1 454 019 837	0	
40 DEBENTURES	1 725 000 000	210,000 000	286,759 000	3 280 000	
41 OTHER FUNDED DEBT	150 000 000	0	31 605 421	0	
42 TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	1 875,000,000	210 000 000	1 772 384 258	3 280,000	
43 ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	216,000,000	26 400 000	31 236 816	0	
44 ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	4 049 110	0	17 990 576	0	
45 TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	2 095 049 110	236 400 000	1 821 611 650	3 280 000	
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46 NOTES PAYABLE	107 300 000	34 380 000	336 662 381	0	
47 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	226 700 762	29 615 993	104 499 675	4 448 733	
48 TAXES ACCRUED	106 721 174	29 905 152	73 639 707	1 153 421	
49 OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	107 482 049	13 289 945	81 059 990	300 707	
50 TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	548 203 985	107 191 090	595 861 752	5 902 861	

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	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG-TERM DEBT	1,380,053	199,126	249,836	0
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES-ACCEL TAX DEPREC	79,835,614	11,474,089	65,145,586	0
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	85,964,222	11,801,397	59,745,729	- 173,858
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	2,022,335	292,615	21,310,964	143,449
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	169,202,224	23,767,227	146,452,114	- 30,409
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	5,711,258,587	794,240,651	4,507,817,704	136,336,434
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	2,035,326,277	295,915,161	1,208,229,585	9,891,002
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	1,228,490,171	190,850,989	732,991,680	6,439,265
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	806,836,106	105,064,172	475,237,905	3,451,737
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	18,265	0
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	2,820,874	0
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	161,113,139	19,309,047	43,201,499	0
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED-ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	42,896,094	5,554,212	32,801,003	0
64	STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	10,740,170	3,612,049	9,631,942	798,300
65	PROPERTY TAXES	97,072,046	67,395	47,825,789	96,811
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	48,741,255	19,398,584	18,128,951	908,817
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	25,952,919	4,289,890	16,757,367	57,375
68	OTHER TAXES	9,129,753	0	20,524,047	25,873
69	TOTAL TAXES	395,645,376	52,231,177	188,870,598	1,887,176
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	498	0	65,478	0
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	23,447,989	3,059,467	14,364,768	0
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	387,743,239	49,773,528	269,265,408	1,564,561
	OTHER INCOME				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	16,623	0	859,712	0
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	22,118,885	2,019,886	14,884,236	62,233
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	442,472	73,491	1,552,556	- 415
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	25,633	0	3,119,374	14/ 1,962,022
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	22,603,613	2,093,377	20,415,879	2,023,840
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	1,420,754	223,677	4,913,224	14/ 935,698
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	408,926,098	51,643,228	284,768,063	2,652,703
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	111,659,639	12,849,999	108,207,962	183,356
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	11,968,802	2,812,427	19,127,682	19
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	203,418	6,503	1,206,519	993
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	123,831,859	15,668,929	128,542,163	184,369
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	285,094,239	35,974,299	156,225,900	2,468,334
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	387,654	288,216	5,408,552	0
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	158,686	978	890,349	0
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS--NET	42,234	11,049	2,538,392	0
88	NET INCOME	285,280,973	36,250,489	158,205,712	2,468,334
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	1,103,205,094	81,987,546	375,498,690	55,582,593
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	16,800	14,469,828	4,459,000
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	2,799	35,000	61,329	0
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERVES OR APPROPRIATIONS	1,388,483,268	118,219,834	548,112,900	62,509,927
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	229,680,000	26,337,500	106,941,126	0
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	1,158,803,268	91,882,334	441,171,775	62,509,927
	DIVIDENDS				
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
96	COMMON STOCK	229,680,000	26,337,500	100,537,214	0
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	13.20	8.25	9.53	0
98	PREFERRED STOCK	0	0	6,403,912	0
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE			6.31	

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NO	ITEM	29 SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO	30 WISCONSIN TELEPHONE CO	31 TOTAL NON BELL COMPANIES	32 ALL AMERICA CABLES & RADIO INC
OPERATING REVENUES					
100	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES				
100	SUBSCRIBERS STATION REVENUES				
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	974,659,261	160,043,228	548,227,344	0
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	139,165	0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS STATION REVENUES	974,659,261	160,043,228	548,366,509	0
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	24,195,752	4,318,896	8,844,460	0
104	SERVICE STATIONS	488,887	2,588	137,463	0
105	LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
105	TELEPHONE	5,078,668	473,583	5,195,048	0
106	TELETYPEWRITER	1,188,235	309,431	1,099,943	0
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	49,541	1,900	107,634	0
108	TELPAC	0	0	6	0
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	733,388	57,869	354,079	0
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	244,918	25,014	582,832	0
111	OTHER SERVICES	5,720,879	804,213	3,088,651	0
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	13,015,629	1,672,010	10,428,194	0
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	110,069	110,712	5,059,069	0
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	1,012,469,598	166,147,434	572,835,696	0
115	TOLL SERVICE REVENUES				
115	MESSAGE TOLLS				
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	777,477,255	97,618,673	545,469,320	8,846,785
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	0	0	820,763	0
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	0	0	544,489	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	777,477,255	97,618,673	546,834,572	8,846,785
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	75,093,731	10,250,188	17,967,310	0
121	TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
121	TELEPHONE	27,750,565	3,168,091	28,576,477	206,989
122	TELETYPEWRITER	7,586,010	822,848	3,655,629	0
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	250,119	16,173	82,546	0
124	TELPAC	27,949,336	2,468,488	1,310,009	0
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	1,320,304	101,542	220,480	14,276
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	5,558,780	466,850	603,007	0
127	OTHER SERVICES	9,100,839	770,145	4,085,034	0
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	79,515,953	7,814,137	38,533,183	221,265
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	2,106	0	184,962	0
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	932,089,045	115,682,998	603,520,027	9,068,050
131	MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES				
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	60,291	8,137	291,782	0
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	0	2,555,689	753,159
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	89,852,389	13,881,080	28,005,528	0
134	RENT REVENUES	9,511,543	1,285,457	7,902,741	69,793
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	8,631	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	1,976,935	523,931	2,112,398	0
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	101,401,158	15,698,605	40,876,769	822,952
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	10,633,524	1,613,876	9,002,906	0
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	2,035,326,277	295,915,161	1,208,229,585	9,891,002
140	REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE	448,954,884	62,440,484	300,347,417	9,891,002
OPERATING EXPENSES					
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	376,105,237	58,515,098	208,201,580	800,163
142	DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES				
142	DEPRECIATION	305,872,897	42,394,758	220,987,524	700,719
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	75,128	14,592	62,125	0
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	1,737	0	33,637	0
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUIS. ADJUSTMENT	-1,393	6,960	303,577	0
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	305,948,369	42,416,310	221,386,663	700,719

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NO	ITEM	29 SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO	30 WISCONSIN TELEPHONE CO	31 TOTAL NON-BELL COMPANIES	32 ALL AMERICA CABLES & RADIO INC
TRAFFIC EXPENSES					
147	OPERATORS' WAGES	144,529,543	18,012,416	71,108,554	0
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	39,165,465	7,042,410	20,784,536	19,544
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	183,695,008	25,054,826	91,893,090	19,544
150	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES	145,220,727	25,591,667	61,425,680	562,654
151	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	70,715,133	16,397,131	73,220,664	502,687
OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES					
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	0	1,163,444	434,536
153	OPERATING RENTS	15,821,698	2,551,324	37,708,926	2,914,028
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	109,771,307	18,072,439	33,353,952	114,610
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	18,967,207	2,742,148	8,883,670	189,298
156	OTHER EXPENSES 6/	2,245,485	- 489,954	-4,246,186	201,025
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	146,805,697	22,875,957	76,863,805	3,853,497
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	1,228,490,171	190,850,989	732,991,680	6,439,265
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	60.36	64.50	60.66	65.10
COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE					
160	DEPRECIABLE ACCOUNTS	5.21	4.66	5.38	5.46
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	5.17	4.63	5.33	5.42
PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS					
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	6,256	1,136
MILES OF WIRE CABLE					
163	AERIAL	22,432,188	3,315,743	17,807,869	0
164	UNDERGROUND	35,816,575	5,852,657	8,308,698	1
165	BURIED	17,847,535	1,997,390	6,533,479	0
166	SUBMARINE	45,507	16,683	41,447	0
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	76,141,805	11,182,473	32,691,493	1
168	AERIAL WIRE	578,857	78,649	512,547	0
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	76,720,662	11,261,122	33,204,040	1
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	97,726	9,438	104,864	0
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	43,536	7,051	12,141	1
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	7/	55	2	0
CARRIER CHANNEL					
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	22,835,954	2,022,060	3,417,492	0
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	973,457	130,329	585,643	0
175	MILES OF VIDEO	3,330	13	1,286	0
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	5,271	332	8,977	1,307
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	4,577	903	25,916	391
CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD					
178	ELECTRONIC	55	34	21	0
179	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	1,344	124	1,674	0
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	503	98	170	0
182	PANEL DIAL	3	0	97	0
183	OTHER DIAL	0	0	304	0
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	1,905	256	2,266	0
COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD					
185	ELECTRONIC	553,851	213,934	24,606	0
186	MANUAL	0	0	3	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	6,863,758	822,679	5,202,032	0
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	4,133,761	834,043	703,188	0
189	PANEL DIAL	47,015	0	61,111	0
190	OTHER DIAL	0	0	447,554	0
191	MOBILE	7,761	563	3,625	0

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NO	ITEM	29 SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO	30 WISCONSIN TELEPHONE CO	31 TOTAL NON-BELL COMPANIES	32 ALL AMERICA CABLES & RADIO INC
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS				
192	MAIN	6 278 670	1 056 094	4 077 487	0
193	PBX	1 381 292	272 719	630 592	0
194	EXTENSION	3 946 184	542 406	1 734 040	0
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER				
195	BUSINESS	3 042 280	510 573	1 666 157	0
196	COIN	178 017	23 986	55 809	0
197	RESIDENCE	8 385 849	1,336,660	4 720 152	0
	198 COMPANY TELEPHONES	11 606 146	1 871 219	6 442 119	0
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	63 122	110	8 767	0
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	46,615	3,217	14,804	0
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	11 715 883	1 874 546	6 465 690	0
	202 WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES 8	13,643	1 750	0	0
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	84 410	21 639	166 930	0
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	557 984	57,614	572 004	0
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	11 360 049	1 829 561	6 303 919	0
	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 9				
206	LOCAL CALLS	20 249 700 000	2 672 700 000	12 514 989 182	0
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	1 783	1 461	1 985	0
208	TOLL CALLS	1 272 267 659	155 706 139	786 348 864	0
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	112	85	125	0
	TELEGRAPH STATIONS				
210	PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER	8 643	1 219	2 611	0
211	PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER	0	0	408	0
212	DATA-PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER	3 047	874	107	0
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	0	11	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	11 690	2 093	3 137	0
	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE				
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING				
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	1 486 793	809 328
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	48,253,673	8,613,410
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING				
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	660 555	233 032
	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE				
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	6 524 810	221 265
	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS				
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	94 540	0	13 126	233
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	245 620	0	36 441	344
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES				
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 10	152	48	40	0
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	7 871	725	3 676	0
223	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	2 003	0	728	0
	EMPLOYMENT PENSIONS ETC				
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	70 322	11 355	52 172	145
225	MALE	31 026	5 410	28 691	119
226	FEMALE	39 296	5 945	23 481	26
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	687 209 306	112 531 693	428 421 617	1 276 081
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	555 500 000	87 781 000	304 134 127	994 528
	BENEFITS 11 8				
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR	20 637	3 960	0	0
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	8,070 209	1 223 059	0	0
	PENSIONS 8				
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	11 268	2 411	0	0
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	29 698 485	6 780 633	0	0
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	132 101 357	22 425 429	44 451 013	114 610

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NO	ITEM	33 CITIZENS UTILITIES CO OF CALIFORNIA	34 CONTINENTAL TELEPHONE CO OF CALIFORNIA	35 CUBAN AMERICAN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	36 DELAWARE VALLEY TELEPHONE CO
BALANCE SHEET--ASSETS					
COMMUNICATION PLANT					
1 TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	31 028 599	232,770,948	1,655,488	3,917,506	
2 TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	964 601	9,526,121	0	26,691	
3 PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	0	12,588	0	0	
4 TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	233,565	683,533	0	0	
5 SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	0	0	0	
6 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	32,226,765	242,993,190	1,655,488	3,944,197	
7 LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	7,884,011	33,092,273	1,314,356	379,502	
8 AMORTIZATION RESERVE	0	0	0	0	
9 EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	0	0	0	
10 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--NET	24,342,754	209,900,917	341,132	3,564,695	
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11 INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
12 ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
13 MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	11,728 413	650,763	0	6,838	
14 OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	0	25,163	0	0	
15 TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	11 728 413	675 926	0	6,838	
CURRENT ASSETS					
16 CASH	154 851	1,275,934	654	16,992	
17 TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	0	0	0	0	
18 NOTES RECEIVABLE	63,298	35,246	0	0	
19 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS, AGENTS AND OTHERS	788,558	6,683,827	5,679,179	175,264	
20 MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	626,920	2,574,271	0	33,889	
21 ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	8,621	105,689	50	0	
22 TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	1,642,248	10,674,967	5,679,883	226,145	
23 OTHER ASSETS	0	0	0	0	
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24 PREPAID ACCOUNTS	33,873	155,675	0	5,254	
25 ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	219,580	1,332,791	0	10,786	
26 TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	253,453	1,488,466	0	16,040	
27 TOTAL ASSETS	37,966,868	222,740,276	6,021,015	3,813,718	
BALANCE SHEET--LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28 COMMON STOCK	1,425,000	12,218,790	1,730,000	510,000	
29 PREFERRED STOCK	1,000,000	17,044,160	0	0	
30 CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	0	0	0	
31 INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
32 PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	34,469,603	0	0	
33 OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	15,821,073	12,116,232	0	0	
34 RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	0	0	0	0	
35 UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	1,241,333	24,855,495	1,970,318	406,618	
36 LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
37 CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	4,067	317,621	0	0	
38 TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	19,483,339	100,386,659	3,700,318	916,618	
LONG-TERM DEBT					
FUNDED DEBT					
39 MORTGAGE BONDS	0	95,200,070	0	0	
40 DEBENTURES	0	8,618,000	0	0	
41 OTHER FUNDED DEBT	0	0	0	0	
42 TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	0	103,818,070	0	0	
43 ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	1,325,000	0	0	0	
44 ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	0	0	0	0	
45 TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	1,325,000	103,818,070	0	0	
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46 NOTES PAYABLE	0	12,000,000	0	2,585,000	
47 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	8,138,302	1,398,780	1,279,835	117,559	
48 TAXES ACCRUED	2,662,647	- 327,744	1,040,862	19,611	
49 OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	141,034	1,909,952	0	33,004	
50 TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	10,941,983	14,980,988	2,320,697	2,755,174	

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	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG-TERM DEBT	0	0	0	0
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES ACCEL TAX DEPREC	0	168 502	0	64 839
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	222 913	0	0	75 332
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	5 993 634	3,386.057	0	1 755
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	6,216,547	3,554 559	0	141 926
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	37,966 868	222,740 276	6,021 015	3 813,718
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	8 179 272	61,690,550	3,085,937	1,335,766
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	3 902 566	37,556,223	966 393	854,518
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	4,276,706	24,134,327	2,119,544	481 248
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	1,610 895	797,318	111,502	72 892
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED-ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	0	0	0	31,227
64	STATE COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	263 701	115 403	18 690	36 089
65	PROPERTY TAXES	0	4,957,755	2,705	10,253
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	0	14 444	202,538	29 600
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	63 863	1 253,874	0	0
68	OTHER TAXES	593,111	- 167 264	0	9 777
69	TOTAL TAXES	2,531 570	6 971 540	335,435	189 838
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	0	23 242	0	0
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS -NET	0	0	0	22,803
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	1 745 136	17,186 029	1 784 109	268 607
	OTHER INCOME				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	0	872	0	0
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	47 701	414 106	0	0
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	3 377	45 318	290,730	8 985
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	857 987	45 696	0	94
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	909 065	505 992	290,730	9,079
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	144 541	73,974	151,847	300
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	2,509 660	17,618,047	1 922,992	277,386
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	0	6,366,902	0	0
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	47 481	461 790	0	132 278
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	60	90 314	0	0
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	47 541	6,919 006	0	132 278
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	2,462 119	10,699 041	1,922,992	145,108
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	4 904	0	0	0
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	0	462,291	0	267
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS -NET	0	- 221,900	0	- 128
88	NET INCOME	2 467 023	10,458,650	1,922 992	144 969
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	4,825 382	20,228 253	834,909	286,129
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	3 928	5	0	0
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERVES OR APPROPRIATIONS	7,296 333	30,686,908	2,757 901	431,098
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	6,055 000	5,831 413	787,582	24 480
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	1 241 333	24,855,495	1,970 318	406 618
	DIVIDENDS				
96	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
96	COMMON STOCK	6,000 000	4 691 674	787 582	24 480
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	16	16	16	4 80
98	PREFERRED STOCK	55,000	1,139 739	0	0
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	5 50	17	6 83	0

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NO	ITEM	33 CITIZENS UTILITIES CO OF CALIFORNIA	34 CONTINENTAL TELEPHONE CO OF CALIFORNIA	35 CUBAN AMERICAN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	36 DELAWARE VALLEY TELEPHONE CO
OPERATING REVENUES					
	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES				
	SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES				
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	1,847,624	13,057,781	0	436,895
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES	1,847,624	13,057,781	0	436,895
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	0	305,170	0	5,504
104	SERVICE STATIONS	1,524	2,382	0	0
LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
105	TELEPHONE	25,643	195,385	0	53
106	TELETYPEWRITER	15	0	0	0
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	0	0	0
108	TELPAC	0	0	0	0
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	3,439	0	0	125
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	0	0	0	0
111	OTHER SERVICES	0	0	0	2,082
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	29,097	195,385	0	2,260
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	90,095	382,731	0	16,896
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	1,968,340	13,943,449	0	461,555
TOLL SERVICE REVENUES					
	MESSAGE TOLLS				
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	5,908,782	42,409,496	3,014,570	840,664
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	0	0	0	3,095
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	0	0	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	5,908,782	42,409,496	3,014,570	843,759
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	18/ 0	2,695	0	2,189
TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
121	TELEPHONE	177,899	4,186,872	23,968	7,734
122	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	37,137	0
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	0	0	288
124	TELPAC	0	0	0	0
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	804	0	262	0
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	0	0	0	0
127	OTHER SERVICES	0	0	0	1,294
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	178,703	4,186,872	61,367	9,316
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	0	53	0	5,901
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	6,087,485	46,599,116	3,075,937	861,165
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES					
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	5,174	2,732	0	95
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	0	0	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	140,733	1,097,624	0	10,027
134	RENT REVENUES	10,626	321,689	10,000	8,924
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	0	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	10,530	1,940	0	0
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	167,063	1,423,985	10,000	19,046
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	43,616	276,000	0	6,000
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	8,179,272	61,690,550	3,085,937	1,335,766
140	REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE	1,495,408	15,820,037	3,085,937	605,548
OPERATING EXPENSES					
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	948,177	10,405,713	7,094	347,865
	DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES				
142	DEPRECIATION	1,465,350	10,871,186	47,282	235,135
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	0	0	0	0
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	0	0	0
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	1,465,350	10,871,186	47,282	235,135

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	TRAFFIC EXPENSES				
147	OPERATORS WAGES	199 599	4 894 915	0	9 520
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	144 009	2 126 987	0	14 541
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	343 608	7 021 902	0	24 061
	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES				
150	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	382 365	3 346 860	0	61 057
151	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	509 747	3 741 396	0	114 148
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES				
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	0	0	0
153	OPERATING RENTS	55 124	268 366	866 343	67 922
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	196 928	2 180 761	0	0
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	0	8 727
156	OTHER EXPENSES 6	1 267	279 961	45 675	-4 397
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	253 319	2 169 166	912 018	72 252
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	3 902 566	37 556 223	966 393	854 518
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	47 71	60 88	31 32	63 97
	COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE				
160	DEPRECIABLE ACCOUNTS	5 29	5 16	2 86	6 49
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	5 23	5 12	2 86	6 46
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	242	0
	MILES OF WIRE CABLE				
163	AERIAL	104 579	652 350	0	34 385
164	UNDERGROUND	12 859	209 327	0	983
165	BURIED	25 796	292 785	0	5 147
166	SUBMARINE	0	1 150	0	0
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	143 233	1 155 612	0	40 515
168	AERIAL WIRE	7 355	22 211	0	469
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	150 588	1 177 823	0	40 985
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	9 /	7 580	0	211
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	24	499	0	2
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	0	0	0	0
	CARRIER CHANNEL				
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	18 937	283 898	3 337	3 109
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	517	16 001	1 669	0
175	MILES OF VIDEO	0	128	0	0
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	0	0	278	0
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	257	1 795	0	0
	CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
178	ELECTRONIC	0	0	0	0
179	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	29	105	0	3
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	0	3	0	0
182	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	0
183	OTHER DIAL	1	0	0	0
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	30	108	0	3
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
185	ELECTRONIC	0	0	0	0
186	MANUAL	3	0	0	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	30 258	183 473	0	6 619
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	0	5 467	0	0
189	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	0
190	OTHER DIAL	66	0	0	0
191	MOBILE	46	401	0	0

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COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS					
192	MAIN	20,904	125,748	0	4,737
193	PBX	2,707	13,614	0	101
194	EXTENSION	6,762	49,979	0	1,781
COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER					
195	BUSINESS	7,232	54,399	0	1,225
196	COIN	376	3,102	0	81
197	RESIDENCE	22,765	131,840	0	5,313
198	COMPANY TELEPHONES	30,373	189,341	0	6,619
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	42	142	0	0
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	7	0	0	5
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	30,422	189,483	0	6,624
202	WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES 8/	0	0	0	0
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	0	15,534	0	109
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	2,547	36,482	0	391
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	26,640	200,022	0	6,313
TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 9.					
206	LOCAL CALLS	31,072,765	259,564,164	0	8,863,751
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	1,085	1,298	0	1,404
208	TOLL CALLS	5,672,279	41,642,581	0	1,304,218
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	198	208	0	207
TELEGRAPH STATIONS					
210	PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER	0	102	0	1
211	PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER	0	61	0	0
212	DATA-PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER	0	90	0	1
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	11	0	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	264	0	2
OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE					
MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING					
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	19/ 301,833	0
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	2,960,405	0
MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING					
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	54,165	0
PRIVATE LINE SERVICE					
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	,0	0	61,367	0
MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS					
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES					
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 10/	4	6	0	0
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	46	480	0	0
223	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	0	73	0	0
EMPLOYMENT, PENSIONS, ETC					
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	325	2,213	0	0
225	MALE	205	1,160	0	0
226	FEMALE	120	1,053	0	0
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	2,585,288	21,652,202	0	0
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	1,476,201	15,259,685	0	0
BENEFITS 8/					
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
PENSIONS 8/					
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	0	0	0	0
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	293,441	2,558,678	0	0

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NO	ITEM	37 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF ALASKA	38 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF INDIANA INC	39 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF MICHIGAN	40 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF THE NORTHWEST INC
BALANCE SHEET - ASSETS					
COMMUNICATION PLANT					
1 TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	4 422 361	399 736 701	347 575 496	442 691 033	
2 TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	0	15 303 721	9 677 972	12 553 529	
3 PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	5 062	861 172	490 283	120 819	
4 TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	88 458	388 801	161 949	0	
5 SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	0	0	0	
6 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT - GROSS	4 515 881	416 290 395	357 905 700	455 365 381	
7 LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	1 631 390	70 160 073	61 694 575	67 475 413	
8 AMORTIZATION RESERVE	0	160 944	0	0	
9 EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	0	0	0	
10 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT - NET	2 884 491	345 969 375	296 211 125	387 889 968	
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11 INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	56 800	0	2 329 400	
12 ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
13 MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	0	45 827	8 930	585 821	
14 OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	450	208 000	149 290	8 725	
15 TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	450	310 627	158 220	2 923 946	
CURRENT ASSETS					
16 CASH	151 796	2 198 870	3 703 456	3 019 457	
17 TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	0	0	0	0	
18 NOTES RECEIVABLE	0	50 040	224 735	0	
19 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS AGENTS AND OTHERS	672 698	10 632 799	10 823 749	12 446 228	
20 MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	1 567	2 871 013	2 097 643	2 565 340	
21 ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	4 130	256 393	92 729	131 059	
22 TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	830 391	16 009 115	16 942 312	18 162 084	
23 OTHER ASSETS	0	0	0	0	
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24 PREPAID ACCOUNTS	3 456	241 766	451 908	435 634	
25 ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	0	2 699 247	3 236 850	2 692 798	
26 TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	3 456	2 941 013	3 688 758	3 126 432	
27 TOTAL ASSETS	3 718 788	365 230 133	317 000 415	412 104 430	
BALANCE SHEET - LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28 COMMON STOCK	50 000	100 000 000	87 000 000	143 000 000	
29 PREFERRED STOCK	0	10 580 117	12 914 600	0	
30 CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	0	0	0	
31 INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
32 PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	824	0	0	0	
33 OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	22 756	0	0	0	
34 RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	0	0	0	0	
35 UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	1 089 333	27 578 186	17 201 934	21 211 545	
36 LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
37 CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	0	0	0	0	
38 TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	1 162 913	138 158 303	117 116 534	164 211 545	
LONG-TERM DEBT					
FUNDED DEBT					
39 MORTGAGE BONDS	0	142 566 000	110 364 000	159 800 000	
40 DEBENTURES	0	16 415 000	22 000 000	22 240 000	
41 OTHER FUNDED DEBT	0	0	0	0	
42 TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	0	158 981 000	132 364 000	182 040 000	
43 ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
44 ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	0	0	0	0	
45 TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	0	158 981 000	132 364 000	182 040 000	
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46 NOTES PAYABLE	1 940 000	26 253 000	39 700 000	31 100 000	
47 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	344 502	8 285 438	8 125 119	5 892 864	
48 TAXES ACCRUED	37 502	10 639 834	2 702 950	7 791 626	
49 OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	109 403	9 043 594	6 200 827	6 247 118	
50 TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	2 431 407	54 221 866	56 720 896	51 031 609	

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	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG-TERM DEBT	0	12,656	10,588	4,430
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES-ACCEL TAX DEPREC	47,612	6,227,215	4,683,770	6,442,440
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	58,434	6,907,673	5,679,424	7,252,412
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	18,422	721,420	417,203	1,121,993
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	124,468	13,868,964	10,790,985	14,821,276
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	3,718,788	365,230,133	317,000,415	412,104,430
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	1,462,772	110,998,718	91,904,366	111,768,121
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	849,590	63,848,174	50,396,787	63,091,200
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	613,182	47,150,544	41,507,579	48,676,921
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	158,067	6,557,116	6,609,031	5,677,350
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED-ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	23,218	3,935,672	2,452,874	3,215,659
64	STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	40,883	0	1,750,893	593,700
65	PROPERTY TAXES	19,271	8,073,000	5,821,432	7,678,082
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	3,106	1,757,650	0	1,791,522
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	20,906	1,584,841	1,273,684	1,512,291
68	OTHER TAXES	353	0	566,053	1,104,757
69	TOTAL TAXES	265,804	21,908,279	18,473,967	21,573,361
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	0	19,014	20,822	0
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	11,441	1,319,802	1,121,869	1,419,332
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	335,937	23,941,477	21,932,565	25,684,228
	OTHER INCOME				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	0	0	0	300,000
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	0	1,321,268	688,766	1,198,143
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	0	3,639	33,919	19,954
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	0	40,392	1,155	24,203
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	0	1,365,299	723,840	1,542,300
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	10,307	121,242	99,197	116,611
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	325,630	25,185,534	22,557,208	27,109,917
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	0	9,580,628	8,205,760	11,390,464
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	112,218	377,637	1,217,940	1,367,998
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	0	464,183	61,293	51,058
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	112,218	10,422,448	9,484,993	12,809,520
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	213,412	14,763,086	13,072,215	14,300,397
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	0	412,031	733,417	122,135
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	0	0	8,089	14,357
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS--NET	0	197,775	301,463	54,590
88	NET INCOME	213,412	14,977,342	13,496,060	14,353,585
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	875,921	23,157,714	14,916,170	18,761,349
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	67,114	0
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	3,388
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERVE OR APPROPRIATION	1,089,333	38,135,056	28,479,344	33,111,546
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	0	10,556,870	11,277,410	11,900,000
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	1,089,333	27,578,186	17,201,934	21,211,545
	DIVIDENDOS DECLARADOS				
96	COMMON STOCK	0	10,000,000	10,657,500	11,900,000
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE		10,00	12,25	8,38
98	PREFERRED STOCK	0	556,870	619,910	0
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	17/	4,83	17/	4,76

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NO	ITEM	37 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF ALASKA	38 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF INDIANA INC	39 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF MICHIGAN	40 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF THE NORTHWEST INC
OPERATING REVENUES					
	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES				
	SUBSCRIBERS STATION REVENUES				
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	700 364	58 051 908	41 951 874	54 031 176
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS STATION REVENUES	700 364	58 051 908	41 951 874	54 031 176
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	7 958	972 429	556 133	739 112
104	SERVICE STATIONS	0	0	889	5 584
LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
105	TELEPHONE	0	67 542	324 123	90 429
106	TELETYPEWRITER	0	134 057	1 410	13 288
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	33 802	0	0
108	TELPAK	0	0	0	0
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION -AUDIO	0	37 824	15 300	23 075
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	0	312 299	118 462	4 980
111	OTHER SERVICES	0	346 872	249 698	210 612
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	0	932 396	708 993	342 384
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	0	162 276	25 049	1 424 495
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	708 322	60 119 009	43 242 938	56 542 752
TOLL SERVICE REVENUES					
	MESSAGE TOLLS				
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	456 249	40 867 105	42 914 075	48 185 383
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	0	74 292	0	0
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	0	0	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	456 249	40 941 397	42 914 075	48 185 383
120	WIOE AREA TOLL SERVICE	18	0	4 341 014	1 248 726
TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
121	TELEPHONE	0	1 246 477	2 697 968	539 812
122	TELETYPEWRITER	0	255 094	0	18 599
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	9 417	0	26
124	TELPAK	0	1 050 721	0	172 100
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION -AUDIO	0	55 331	17 488	32 249
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	0	406 051	0	518
127	OTHER SERVICES	280 206	265 541	155 793	2 417 659
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	280 206	3 288 632	2 871 249	3 180 964
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	69	0
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	736 455	48 571 043	47 034 119	52 732 940
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES					
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	3 997	15 936	179 664	9 274
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	0	0	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	18 263	2 570 316	1 510 400	2 583 818
134	RENT REVENUES	5 735	428 279	274 566	207 301
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	6 650	0	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	0	76 311	27 479	9 617
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	27 995	3 097 492	1 992 109	2 810 009
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	10 000	788 826	364 800	317 580
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	1 462 772	110 998 718	91 904 366	111 768 121
140	REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE	396 687	25 418 746	13 351 038	23 702 558
OPERATING EXPENSES					
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	251 476	20 506 299	15 886 564	18 192 423
	DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES				
142	DEPRECIATION	249 093	18 167 632	15 606 641	21 776 073
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	0	0	0	0
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	27 180	17 468	-24 939
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	249 093	18 194 812	15 624 109	21 751 134

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NO	ITEM	37 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF ALASKA	38 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF INDIANA INC	39 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF MICHIGAN	40 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF THE NORTHWEST INC
TRAFFIC EXPENSES					
147	OPERATORS' WAGES	34 753	7,344 141	3 960,246	5,107 892
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	6 930	1,857 681	1 486,680	1,844 433
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	41 683	9,201 822	5,446,926	6,952,325
150	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES	98 456	4 973,675	4,354 686	5 922 995
151	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	125,214	6,383,319	5,305,134	7,240 996
OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES					
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	0	0	0
153	OPERATING RENTS	31 980	986,494	837 475	641,596
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	19 026	3,113,781	2,430,085	1,996 857
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	8 772	731 891	574 594	748 853
156	OTHER EXPENSES 6/	23,890	243 919	-62,786	-355,978
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	83 668	4,588 247	3,779,368	3,031 327
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	849 590	63,848,174	50,396,787	63,091 200
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	58 08	57 52	54 84	56 45
COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE					
160	DEPRECIAHLE ACCOUNTS	5 91	4 77	5 06	5 47
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	5 88	4 75	5 03	5 44
PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS					
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	0	0
MILES OF WIRE CABLE					
163	AERIAL	7,311	1,095,558	1,283 130	1,540,447
164	UNDERGROUND	0	1,330 478	373,085	1,065 203
165	BURIED	744	569 525	963,806	653,023
166	SUBMARINE	0	505	6,698	9 842
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	8 055	2,996,066	2,626,719	3,268 515
168	AERIAL WIRE	108	23,595	13 127	33,946
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	8,163	3,019,661	2,639 846	3 302,461
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	4	9 078	7 563	6 597
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	0	2,037	778	1,800
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	0	6	320	0
CARRIER CHANNEL					
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	7,550	116,131	186 029	295,090
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	238	1 344	5,856	8,887
175	MILES OF VIDEO	0	399	0	200
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	0	268	0	0
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	75	197	219	918
CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD					
178	ELECTRONIC	0	8	1	0
179	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	6	95	184	99
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	0	0	0	15
182	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	0
183	OTHER DIAL	6	31	6	31
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	12	134	191	145
COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD					
185	ELECTRONIC	0	12,675	1,091	0
186	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	4 450	622,344	505,628	476,567
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	0	0	0	87 029
189	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	0
190	OTHER DIAL	1 477	42 493	3,056	15,603
191	MOBILE	0	174	149	156

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NO	ITEM	37 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF ALASKA	38 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF INDIANA INC	39 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF MICHIGAN	40 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF THE NORTHWEST INC
192	MAIN	4 114	383 731	344 492	375 721
193	PBX	405	86 360	39 348	34 707
194	EXTENSION	1 408	207 955	126 084	168 927
195	BUSINESS	2,378	174,267	103,929	124,737
196	COIN	75	5,888	4,891	3,378
197	RESIDENCE	3,474	497 531	401 104	451 240
198	COMPANY TELEPHONES	5 927	677 686	509 924	579 355
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	22	0	4	499
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	0	789	4 952	1 638
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	5,949	678 475	514 880	581 492
202	WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES 8	0	0	0	0
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	0	18 236	9 858	16,553
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	775	77 571	51 388	44 834
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	5,681	662 784	492 964	560,041
206	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 9	10 312 600	1 322 549 163	949 612 218	1 063 654 465
207	LOCAL CALLS	1 815	1 995	1 926	1 899
208	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	20/ 486 784	72 805 257 20/	93 983 769	73 360 348
209	TOLL CALLS	86	110	191	131
210	TELEGRAPH STATIONS PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER	0	40	0	33
211	PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER	0	0	0	0
212	DATA PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	40	0	33
215	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING				
216	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
218	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
219	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
220	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	1 478
221	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0 21	0
222	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 10	0	7	0	0
223	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	0	237	671	156
224	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	0	0	0	427
225	EMPLOYMENT PENSIONS ETC NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	33	4 915	3 543	4,387
226	MALE	21	2 681	1 990	2,379
227	FEMALE	12	2 234	1 553	2 008
228	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	384 883	40,441,868	30,069,639	37,927,853
229	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	303,780	30,930,045	20,614,522	24,622,762
230	BENEFITS 8 NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
231	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
232	PENSIONS 8 NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	0	0	0	0
233	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	24 197	4 205 213	3 352 021	2 881 948

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BALANCE SHEET--ASSETS					
COMMUNICATION PLANT					
1 TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	276 026 848	441 938 410	616 738 044	87 464 633	
2 TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	16,937 753	20,865,727	29,326,589	3,497,389	
3 PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	25,063	200,862	874,989	71,374	
4 TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	- 160,406	6,910,780	0 22/	51,807	
5 SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	0	0	0	
6 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	292,829,258	469,915,779	646,939,622	91,085,203	
7 LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	47,740,268	59,191,782	111,891,782	15,256,884	
8 AMORTIZATION RESERVE	0	0	12,772	0	
9 EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	0	0	0	
10 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--NET	245,088,990	410,723,997	535,035,068	75,828,319	
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11 INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
12 ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
13 MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	204,918	849	262,872	36,116	
14 OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	40,000	185,040	1,130,317	1,567	
15 TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	244,918	185,889	1,393,189	37,683	
CURRENT ASSETS					
16 CASH	3,022,658	3,064,489	3,515,369	453,689	
17 TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	0	0	0	0	
18 NOTES RECEIVABLE	33,793	38,000	0	0	
19 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS, AGENTS AND OTHERS	9,869,535	13,911,880	17,054,964	3,971,960	
20 MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	1,352,362	3,717,774	5,645,875	506,564	
21 ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	59,965	150,430	253,011	151,600	
22 TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	14,338,313	20,882,573	26,469,219	5,083,813	
23 OTHER ASSETS	0	0	0	0	
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24 PREPAID ACCOUNTS	5,691,111	891,737	1,106,678	558,620	
25 ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	1,780,734	2,966,818	5,307,438	654,124	
26 TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	7,471,845	3,858,555	6,414,116	1,212,744	
27 TOTAL ASSETS	267,144,066	435,651,014	569,311,592	82,162,559	
BALANCE SHEET--LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28 COMMON STOCK	77,000,000	162,950,000	170,000,000	29,000,000	
29 PREFERRED STOCK	9,795,200	3,870,000	13,620,000	0	
30 CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	0	0	0	
31 INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
32 PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
33 OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	0	15,861	0	0	
34 RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	0	0	0	44,164	
35 UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	16,566,814	17,704,226	45,391,141	5,432,925	
36 LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
37 CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	0	0	0	0	
38 TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	103,362,014	184,540,087	229,011,141	34,477,089	
LONG-TERM DEBT					
FUNDED DEBT					
39 MORTGAGE BONDS	102,236,000	152,736,000	228,080,000	22,000,000	
40 DEBENTURES	14,550,000	4,800,000	18,625,000	0	
41 OTHER FUNDED DEBT	0	0	0	0	
42 TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	116,786,000	157,536,000	246,705,000	22,000,000	
43 ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
44 ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	180,950	24,000	7,491,564	0	
45 TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	116,966,950	157,560,000	254,196,564	22,000,000	
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46 NOTES PAYABLE	17,150,000	50,510,500	32,100,000	20,500,000	
47 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	5,731,350	11,366,663	10,061,792	1,209,149	
48 TAXES ACCRUED	10,159,195	6,474,836	6,387,381	947,547	
49 OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	5,383,486	8,602,200	15,811,817	821,924	
50 TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	38,424,031	76,954,199	64,361,590	23,478,620	

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	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG TERM DEBT	0	74 979	10 678	0
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES ACCEL TAX DEPREC	3 523 620	7 330 970	10 078 800	1 427 360
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	4 286 493	8 799 380	10 554 588	681 511
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	580 958	391 399	1 098 231	97 979
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	8 391 071	16 596 728	21 742 297	2 206 850
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	267 144 066	435 651 014	569 311 592	82 162 559
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	72 443 974	108 723 641	148 057 679	24 598 227
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	43 807 302	67 521 738	91 811 865	15 730 347
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	28 636 672	41 201 903	56 245 814	8 867 880
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	2 815 000	3 066 235	3 458 856	201 785
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	2 115 000	3 935 748	5 739 314	844 338
64	STATE COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	372	1 152 689	205 774	646 447
65	PROPERTY TAXES	4 700 881	4 057 700	0	599 181
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	2 090 510	1 738 359	3 217 276	152 958
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	1 055 294	1 484 196	1 809 493	398 359
68	OTHER TAXES	83 493	320 932	5 978 609	1 007 243
69	TOTAL TAXES	12 860 550	15 755 859	20 409 322	3 850 311
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	0	0	0	2 400
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	918 114	1 938 646	2 860 896	544 376
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	14 858 008	23 507 398	32 975 596	4 475 593
	OTHER INCOME				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	0	517 663	23	0
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	887 583	1 235 473	2 488 308	392 166
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	42 978	2 821	69 540	0
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	839	10 004	47 181	12
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	931 400	1 765 961	2 605 052	392 178
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	50 471	165 067	146 333	16 476
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	15 738 937	25 108 292	35 434 315	4 851 295
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	5 898 899	10 080 090	13 584 544	1 592 462
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	1 696 914	1 819 934	2 705 455	887 148
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	44 325	86 311	80 655	17 280
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	7 640 138	11 986 335	16 370 654	2 496 890
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	8 098 799	13 121 957	19 063 661	2 354 405
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	0	1 657 202	2 473 637	0
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	0	13 984	233 856	866
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS--NET	0	823 068	1 421 000	- 416
88	NET INCOME	8 098 799	13 942 107	19 882 442	2 353 955
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	15 466 642	12 393 731	39 878 431	4 272 610
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	28 489	3 141 052	0	0
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	33 640
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERV OR APPROP	23 593 930	29 476 890	59 760 873	6 592 925
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	7 027 116	11 772 664	14 369 732	1 160 000
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	16 566 814	17 704 226	45 391 141	5 432 925
	DIVIDENDS				
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
96	COMMON STOCK	6 575 000	11 592 400	13 714 800	1 160 000
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	10 00	7 20	8 76	4 00
98	PREFERRED STOCK	452 116	180 264	654 932	
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	17	4 61	4 64	4 80

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	OPERATING REVENUES				
	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES				
	SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES				
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	39,783,978	50,571,706	73,210,876	9,317,039
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES	39,783,978	50,571,706	73,210,876	9,317,039
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	458,595	774,819	849,049	134,779
104	SERVICE STATIONS	383	811	38,392	347
	LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
105	TELEPHONE	158,591	67,279	187,561	25,895
106	TELETYPEWRITER	0	466	14,652	2,879
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	3,495	48,636	18,511	1,906
108	TELPAK	0	8	0	0
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	59,810	60,083	46,184	15,009
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	111,811	51	0	0
111	OTHER SERVICES	199,633	441,955	140,982	28,149
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	533,340	618,478	407,890	73,838
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	237,402	22,362	1,628,131	38,058
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	41,013,698	51,988,176	76,134,338	9,561,061
	TOLL SERVICE REVENUES				
	MESSAGE TOLLS				
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	28,119,576	50,723,841	64,018,467	14,071,119
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	153,103	0	0	22,748
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	0	0	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	28,272,679	50,723,841	64,018,467	14,093,867
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	1,358,469	2,617,496	2,572,981	142,253
	TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
121	TELEPHONE	574,294	2,699,598	2,916,126	222,155
122	TELETYPEWRITER	194,789	3,299	42,118	11,251
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	-37	53,899	6,980
124	TELPAK	0	2,133	14,164	0
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	12	11,368	8,592	3,057
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	2,064	0	46,556	0
127	OTHER SERVICES	14,814	-3,321	88,576	327,207
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	785,973	2,713,040	3,170,031	570,650
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	0	177,768	0	0
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	30,417,121	56,232,145	69,761,479	14,806,770
	MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES				
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	6,877	11,674	15,771	2,921
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	0	0	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	1,094,057	1,211,941	2,675,366	253,377
134	RENT REVENUES	193,571	276,164	639,530	87,543
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	0	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	13,650	100,540	145,195	7,555
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	1,308,155	1,600,319	3,475,862	351,396
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	295,000	1,096,999	1,314,000	121,000
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	72,443,974	108,723,641	148,057,679	24,598,227
140	REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE	12,269,258	27,918,982	21,658,123	4,198,359
	OPERATING EXPENSES				
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	13,509,044	20,430,640	28,054,866	5,027,631
	DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES				
142	DEPRECIATION	13,757,072	20,141,333	32,183,721	4,716,424
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	0	0	0	0
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	0	0	1,453	0
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	147,704	0	0
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	13,757,072	20,289,037	32,185,174	4,716,424

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NO	ITEM	41 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF OHIO	42 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF THE SOUTHEAST	43 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF THE SOUTHWEST	44 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF UPSTATE NEW YORK, INC
	TRAFFIC EXPENSES				
147	OPERATORS WAGES	4 297 015	6 990 453	9 259 143	1 432 290
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	1 035 343	2,351,305	1,819 951	370 621
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	5,332 358	9,341 758	11,079,094	1,802 911
	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES				
150	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES	3 280 816	5 446 964	7 777 857	1 083 511
151	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	5 063 973	7,168 698	9,206 992	2 005,246
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES				
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	0	0	0
153	OPERATING RENTS	578 578	1,713,240	1,502 900	95,422
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	2,386 334	2,681,505	4,429 395	732 551
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	495,910	769,154	991,673	161 661
156	OTHER EXPENSES 6.	596,783	319,258	416,086	104 990
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	2,864 039	4,844,641	6,507 882	1,094,624
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	43 807 302	67,521,738	91,811 865	15,730 347
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	60 47	62 10	62 01	63 95
	COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE				
160	OEPRECIPABLE ACCOUNTS	6 03	5 62	5 50	6 27
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	5 99	5 57	5 47	6 24
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	0	0
	MILES OF WIRE CABLE				
163	AERIAL	1,302,394	2,535,608	2,950,237	336,787
164	UNDERGROUND	452,237	543,917	1,444,873	71,064
165	BURIED	496,363	1,017,665	1,080,822	100,887
166	SUBMARINE	288	147	17,501	776
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	2,251,282	4,097,337	5,493,431	509,514
168	AERIAL WIRE	42,831	21,264	92,017	12,556
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	2,294,113	4,118,600	5,585,448	522,070
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	10,977	5,951	15,493	3,821
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	637	862	2,386	305
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	196	0	0	0
	CARRIER CHANNEL				
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	335,367	335,120	300,518	68,434
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	35	11,180	8,232	751
175	MILES OF VIDEO	0	206	0	0
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	138	46	0	0
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	365	13,343	1,034	73
	CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
178	ELECTRONIC	2	2	5	1
179	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	130	165	341	36
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	3	9	2	3
182	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	11
183	OTHER DIAL	58	35	68	1
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	193	211	418	52
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
185	ELECTRONIC	2,007	1,815	4,341	1,366
186	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	419,361	553,934	922,316	101,032
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	5,590	65,233	15,890	6,961
189	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	6,371
190	OTHER DIAL	30,871	15,292	24,422	2,969
191	MOBILE	23	208	1,272	30

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NO	ITEM	41 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF OHIO	42 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF THE SOUTHEAST	43 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF THE SOUTHWEST	44 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF UPSTATE NEW YORK, INC
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS				
192	MAIN	293 945	405 425	605 064	78 864
193	PBX	39 131	62 408	70 251	7 715
194	EXTENSION	124 776	168 649	292 926	32,150
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER				
195	BUSINESS	85 371	170 506	237 013	25,785
196	COIN	3 837	5 547	9 088	1 380
197	RESIDENCE	368 644	460 429	722 140	91 564
198	COMPANY TELEPHONES	457 852	636 482	968 241	118,729
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	0	13	689	47
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	844	103	1,610	137
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	458 696	636 598	970 540	118,913
202	WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES 8/	0	0	0	0
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	11,764	9,893	22,484	1,821
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	41,889	39,880	87,791	11,315
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	444 .070	615 726	967,274	116,669
	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 9				
206	LOCAL CALLS	750,871,131	1,487,048 407	2,061,553,215	201,903,541
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	1,691	2,415	2,131	1,731
208	TOLL CALLS	65,381 269	62,419,172	119,930,887	20,657,055
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	147	101	124	177
	TELEGRAPH STATIONS				
210	PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER	0	184	355	36
211	PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER	0	0	0	0
212	DATA-PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	14
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	184	355	50
	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE				
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING				
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING				
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE				
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS				
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES				
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 10	1	5	0	2
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	23	160	1,272	32
223	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	0	123	0	0
	EMPLOYMENT, PENSIONS, ETC				
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	3,855	5,828	7,377	1,154
225	MALE	2,254	3,107	4,053	679
226	FEMALE	1,601	2,721	3,324	475
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	30,938 555	38,035,811	55,370,102	10,137,388
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	21,782,000	28,952,326	37,082,566	6,721,114
	BENEFITS 8/				
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
	PENSIONS 8/				
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	0	0	0	0
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	3,251,986	3,526,437	6,609,244	978,119

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NO	ITEM	45 GENEVA TELEPHONE CO	46 HAWAIIAN TELEPHONE CO	47 IDAHO TELEPHONE CO	48 ITT COMMUNICATIONS INC -- VIRGIN ISLANDS
BALANCE SHEET - ASSETS					
1	COMMUNICATION PLANT				
1 1	TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	8 612 215	445 445 720	8 362 046	21 438 504
1 2	TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	639 048	24 196 706	533 145	2 402 440
1 3	PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	0	687 746	0	0
1 4	TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	0	0	0
1 5	SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	4 388 969	0	0
6	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT - GROSS	9 251 263	474 719 140	8 895 191	23 840 944
7	LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	2 124 263	84 655 833	1 697 283	5 426 466
8	AMORTIZATION RESERVE	0	43 388	3 773	0
9	EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	1 430 425	0	0
10	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT - NET	7 127 000	388 589 495	7 194 135	18 414 478
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11	INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	14 809 000
12	ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0
13	MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	1 154	112 480	0	0
14	OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	6 080	1 262	1 000	0
15	TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	7 234	113 742	1 000	14 809 000
CURRENT ASSETS					
16	CASH	-3 498	656 015	118 151	1 499
17	TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	0	0	0	0
18	NOTES RECEIVABLE	0	0	0	0
19	ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS AGENTS AND OTHERS	360 360	16 326 360	1 268 942	2 743 876
20	MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	0	8 379 479	200 209	0
21	ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	4 277	16 407	7 680	3 500
22	TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	361 139	25 378 261	1 594 982	2 748 875
23	OTHER ASSETS	0	0	0	0
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24	PREPAID ACCOUNTS	52 895	304 203	-3 469	498
25	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	40 934	5 411 040	57 416	25 586
26	TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	93 829	5 715 243	53 947	26 085
27	TOTAL ASSETS	7 589 203	419 796 741	8 844 064	35 998 438
BALANCE SHEET - LIABILITIES					
28	CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	2 563 200	100 000 000	816 840	2 000 000
29	COMMON STOCK	0	0	0	0
30	PREFERRED STOCK	0	0	0	0
31	CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	0	0	0
32	INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	4 800 000
33	PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	137 000	0
34	OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	0	40 823 263	738 594	8 000 000
35	RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	393 134	0	0	0
36	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	1 012 981	42 620 316	1 202 717	14 749 034
37	DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0
38	CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	0	0	0	0
38	TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	3 969 315	183 443 579	2 895 151	29 549 034
LONG-TERM DEBT					
FUNDING DEBT					
39	MORTGAGE BONDS	2 096 500	147 500 000	0	0
40	DEBENTURES	0	28 568 000	0	0
41	OTHER FUNDED DEBT	0	0	4 383 595	3 484 000
42	TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	2 096 500	176 068 000	4 383 595	3 484 000
43	ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	747 062	0	0	0
44	ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	0	0	0	0
45	TOTAL LONG TERM DEBT	2 843 562	176 068 000	4 383 595	3 484 000
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46	NOTES PAYABLE	0	30 900 000	1 100 000	0
47	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	104 417	5 902 859	78 382	2 532 056
48	TAXES ACCRUED	280 490	902 690	182 211	351 634
49	OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	127 214	6 176 875	53 034	77 414
50	TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	512 121	43 882 425	1 413 627	2 961 104

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DEFERRED CREDITS					
51	PREMIUM ON LONG-TERM DEBT	0	122,160	0	0
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES-ACCEL TAX DEPREC	68,839	9,154,271	0	0
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	128,286	6,686,617	0	0
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	67,080	439,689	151,691	4,300
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	264,204	16,402,736	151,691	4,300
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	7,589,203	419,796,741	8,844,064	35,998,438
INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT					
TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME					
57	OPERATING REVENUES	2,642,669	118,471,444	2,511,739	8,066,612
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	1,273,739	78,764,952	1,387,947	1,965,007
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	1,369,130	39,706,492	1,123,792	6,101,605
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	2,820,874	0	0
TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS					
TAXES					
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	337,932	264,410	160,780	2,022,970
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED-ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	50,554	5,077,490	0	0
64	STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	0	868,300	26,978	0
65	PROPERTY TAXES	212,443	59,090	127,778	36
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	79,615	0	1,415	80,666
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	23,863	1,640,175	37,411	3,699
68	OTHER TAXES	929	4,371,174	-6,885	877
69	TOTAL TAXES	705,336	12,280,639	347,477	2,108,248
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	0	0	0	0
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	0	1,127,499	0	0
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	663,795	23,477,480	776,315	3,993,356
OTHER INCOME					
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	0	0	0	0
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	26,473	1,894,958	12,286	68,282
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	0	4,276	1,077	0
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	405	1,074	247	1,178
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	26,878	1,900,308	13,610	69,459
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	931	116,093	2,297	0
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	689,742	25,261,694	787,628	4,062,816
FIXED CHARGES					
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	115,269	11,524,216	172,450	190,434
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	40,177	2,428,031	84,305	0
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	2,156	47,843	806	0
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	157,601	14,000,090	257,561	190,434
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	532,140	11,261,604	530,067	3,872,382
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	0	0	0	0
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	0	1,573	0	0
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS--NET	0	-800	0	0
88	NET INCOME	532,140	11,260,831	530,067	3,872,382
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	844,814	34,681,485	898,650	10,431,653
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	1,045,000
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERVES OR APPROPRIATIONS	1,376,955	45,942,316	1,428,717	15,349,034
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	363,974	3,322,000	226,000	600,000
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	1,012,981	42,620,316	1,202,717	14,749,034
DIVIDENDS					
DIVIDENDS DECLARED					
96	COMMON STOCK	363,974	3,322,000	226,000	600,000
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	14.20	4.40	16/0	16/0
98	PREFERRED STOCK	0	0	0	0
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE				

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OPERATING REVENUES					
	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES				
	SUBSCRIBERS STATION REVENUES				
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	1 280 782	60 668 074	744 217	0
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS STATION REVENUES	1 280 782	60 668 074	744 217	0
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	6 700	1 475 794	8 919	0
104	SERVICE STATIONS	0	0	0	0
LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
105	TELEPHONE	37.011	1,819,521	6,034	0
106	TELETYPEWRITER	0	720,947	0	0
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	0	0	0
108	TELPAC	0	0	0	0
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION -AUDIO	0	18,963	0	0
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION -VIDEO	0	11,670	0	0
111	OTHER SERVICES	0	1,330,885	0	0
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	37.011	3,901,986	6,034	0
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	0	0
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	1 326 492	66,045,853	759 170	0
TOLL SERVICE REVENUES					
	MESSAGE TOLLS				
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	1 240,006	34 904 200	1 669 602	7,797,296
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	0	58 778	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	1 240,006	34,962,978	1,669,602	7,797,296
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	18	0	1,176,455	5,035
TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
121	TELEPHONE	0	6,334,304	15,712	191,436
122	TELETYPEWRITER	0	296,518	0	0
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	0	408	0
124	TELPAC	0	0	0	0
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION -AUDIO	0	3,052	0	0
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION -VIDEO	0	124,624	0	0
127	OTHER SERVICES	0	28,935	0	0
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	0	6,787,434	16,120	191,436
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	5	0
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	1 240 006	42,926,867	1 690 762	7,988,732
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES					
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	0	33	123	0
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	1,802,530	0	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	88 139	4 772,951	48,242	0
134	RENT REVENUES	11 632	3 749,617	23,388	77,880
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	0	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	0	67,081	-96	0
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	99,771	10,392,212	71,657	77,880
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	23,400	893,488	9,850	0
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	2 642 869	118,471,444	2 511,739	8 066,612
140	REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE	766,324	38,255,212	577,110	8 066,612
OPERATING EXPENSES					
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	300 242	24,352,480	359,829	449,393
	DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES				
142	DEPRECIATION	409 090	20,593,231	344,686	1,010,793
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	0	0	0	0
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	0	21,926	1,085	0
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	0	0	0
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	409 090	20,615,157	345,771	1,010,793

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NO	ITEM	45 GENEVA TELEPHONE CO	46 HAWAIIAN TELEPHONE CO	47 IDAHO TELEPHONE CO	48 ITT COMMUNICATIONS INC -- VIRGIN ISLANDS
	TRAFFIC EXPENSES				
147	OPERATORS' WAGES	183,518	4,289,295	133,095	0
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	12,124	1,122,880	49,063	1,793
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	195,642	5,412,176	182,158	1,793
150	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES	129,783	7,406,398	166,188	94,969
151	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	162,563	5,708,684	252,637	167,562
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES				
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	728,908	0	0
153	OPERATING RENTS	402	9,141,182	15,495	47,302
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	50,486	5,101,745	82,018	0
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	39,971	766,860	180	147,929
156	OTHER EXPENSES 6/	14,440	468,638	-16,329	45,266
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	76,419	15,270,057	81,364	240,496
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	1,273,739	78,764,952	1,387,947	1,965,007
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	48.20	66.48	55.26	24.36
	COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE				
160	DEPRECIALE ACCOUNTS	5.00	5.12	5.11	4.75
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	4.62	5.02	5.08	4.75
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	2,399	0	2,479
	MILES OF WIRE CABLE				
163	AERIAL	83,199	915,504	19,573	60
164	UNDERGROUND	10,982	717,681	1,325	729
165	BURIED	1,776	38,622	14,655	3,081
166	SUBMARINE	0	450	0	0
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	95,957	1,672,257	35,553	3,871
168	AERIAL WIRE	222	9,096	3,910	0
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	96,178	1,681,353	39,463	3,871
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	62	2,994	1,236	0
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	22	864	1	2
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	0	0	0	0
	CARRIER CHANNEL				
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	1,885	692,829	0	0
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	0	419,115	5,979	0
175	MILES OF VIDEO	0	81	0	0
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	0	3,363	0	2,853
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	0	3,051	68	406
178	CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
178	ELECTRONIC	0	2	0	0
179	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	5	101	22	0
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	1	1	0	0
182	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	0
183	OTHER DIAL	0	0	0	0
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	6	104	22	0
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
185	ELECTRONIC	0	1,311	0	0
186	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	14,358	487,081	11,149	0
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	2,128	9,381	0	0
189	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	0
190	OTHER DIAL	0	0	0	0
191	MOBILE	15	820	23	0

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NO	ITEM	45 GENEVA TELEPHONE CO	46 HAWAIIAN TELEPHONE CO	47 IDAHO TELEPHONE CO	48 ITT COMMUNICATIONS INC -- VIRGIN ISLANDS
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS				
192	MAIN	11 461	282 224	8 271	0
193	PBX	595	100 612	233	0
194	EXTENSION	4 445	115 757	2 668	0
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER				
195	BUSINESS	3 051	184 649	2 322	0
196	COIN	143	3 859	172	0
197	RESIDENCE	13 307	310 085	8 678	0
198	COMPANY TELEPHONES	16 501	498 593	11 172	0
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	0	0	0	0
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	0	3 469	0	0
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	16 501	502 062	11 172	0
202	WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES 8	0	0	0	0
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	2 000	14 556	707	0
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	0	16 318	0	0
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	16 421	487 753	10 818	0
	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 9				
206	LOCAL CALLS	19 074 292	1 245 894 762	0	0
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	1 162	2 554	0	0
208	TOLL CALLS	1 200 000	10 145 982	1,396 109	0
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	73	21	129	0
	TELEGRAPH STATIONS				
210	PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER	0	952	0	0
211	PRIVATE LINE- MORSE AND OTHER	0	0	0	0
212	DATA-PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	952	0	0
	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE				
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING				
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0 23	54 309	0	623 156
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0 23	29 127 617	0	7 552 241
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING				
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	128 303	0	245 055
	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE				
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	5 998 709	0	191 436
	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS				
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	430	2 540	0	0
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	8 740	0	0
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES				
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 10	0	0	0	0
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	15	280	0	0
223	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	0	0	0	0
	EMPLOYMENT PENSIONS ETC				
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	95	4 408	68	5
225	MALE	41	2 993	36	5
226	FEMALE	54	1 415	32	0
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	605 695	49 259 235	647 072	77 772
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	605 695	34 313 825	451 356	77 772
	BENEFITS 8				
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
	PENSIONS 8				
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	0	0	0	0
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	28 486	7 130 233	82 018	0

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NO	ITEM	49 LORAIN TELEPHONE CO	50 MALHEUR HOME TELEPHONE CO	51 MID-PENN TELEPHONE CORPORATION	52 NAVAJO COMMUNICATIONS CO INC
BALANCE SHEET--ASSETS					
1	COMMUNICATION PLANT				
1	1 TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	40,386,591	4,969,702	70,682,193	13,606,345
2	2 TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	1,269,358	138,096	2,288,682	508,601
3	3 PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	0	0	16,346	0
4	4 TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	0	176,240	31,063
5	5 SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
6	6 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	41,655,948	5,107,798	73,163,461	14,146,009
7	7 LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	11,099,930	1,217,426	19,091,460	1,223,495
8	8 AMORTIZATION RESERVE	0	0	0	31,736
9	9 EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	0	0	0
10	10 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT- NET	30,556,018	3,890,372	54,072,001	12,890,778
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11	11 INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0
12	12 ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0
13	13 MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	9,000	0	11,112	0
14	14 OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	1,000	0	1,615	0
15	15 TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	10,000	0	12,727	0
CURRENT ASSETS					
16	16 CASH	717,825	35,535	396,339	227,612
17	17 TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	250,000	0	0	0
18	18 NOTES RECEIVABLE	0	0	0	0
19	19 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS, AGENTS AND OTHERS	1,021,866	206,075	2,435,140	621,814
20	20 MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	402,410	155,082	590,720	467,732
21	21 ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	3,484	550	70,719	175
22	22 TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	2,395,585	397,242	3,492,918	1,317,332
23	23 OTHER ASSETS	0	0	0	0
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24	24 PREPAID ACCOUNTS	203,836	16,030	75,398	57,271
25	25 ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	160,282	69,828	716,540	0
26	26 TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	364,117	85,858	791,938	57,271
27	27 TOTAL ASSETS	33,325,720	4,373,472	58,369,584	14,265,380
BALANCE SHEET--LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28	28 COMMON STOCK	4,621,256	2,713,000	5,000	4,000,000
29	29 PREFERRED STOCK	4,800,000	0	0	0
30	30 CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	0	0	0
31	31 INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0
32	32 PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	72,030	140,000	0	0
33	33 OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	5,373	0	18,222,021	0
34	34 RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	0	0	0	0
35	35 UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	4,323,943	472,285	6,936,994	846,529
36	36 LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0
37	37 CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	0	0	0	0
38	38 TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	13,822,602	3,325,285	25,164,015	4,846,529
LONG-TERM DEBT					
FUNDED DEBT					
39	39 MORTGAGE BONDS	16,490,000	0	0	0
40	40 DEBENTURES	418,000	0	17,620,000	4,000,000
41	41 OTHER FUNDED DEBT	0	0	8,650,000	0
42	42 TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	16,908,000	0	26,270,000	4,000,000
43	43 ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	473,000	1,429,379	0
44	44 ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	0	0	0	3,738,478
45	45 TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	16,908,000	473,000	27,699,379	7,738,478
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46	46 NOTES PAYABLE	0	0	0	215,356
47	47 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	814,265	207,318	1,661,605	493,740
48	48 TAXES ACCRUED	838,756	96,029	584,157	219,529
49	49 OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	413,421	86,520	1,015,951	126,513
50	50 TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	2,066,442	389,867	3,261,713	1,055,137

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NO	ITEM	49 LORAIN TELEPHONE CO	50 MALHEUR HOME TELEPHONE CO	51 MIO-PENN TELEPHONE CORPORATION	52 NAVAJO COMMUNICATIONS CO . INC
	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG TERM DEBT	3 760	0	0	0
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES-ACCEL TAX DEPREC	371 401	64 679	927 880	439 323
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	149 956	67 418	1 039 803	181 475
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	3 560	53 223	276 794	4 437
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	528 676	185 320	2,244 477	625 235
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	33 325 720	4 373 472	58 369 584	14 265 380
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	9 784 371	1 672 289	17 421 891	2 778 455
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	5 213 462	895 888	9 637 126	1 197 547
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	4 570 909	776 401	7 784 765	1 580 907
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	681 161	230,007	899 996	147 806
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	232 896	30 149	530 110	225 567
64	STATE COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	0	37 372	473 570	45 529
65	PROPERTY TAXES	905 362	91 773	122 399	0
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	0	14 982	609 070	0
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	118 024	15 168	214 534	20 940
68	OTHER TAXES	337 616	200	241 597	154 356
69	TOTAL TAXES	2 275 059	419 651	3,091 276	594 198
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	0	0	0	0
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	97 882	18 317	215 827	166 190
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	2 197 968	338 433	4 477 662	820 519
	OTHER INCOME				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	27	0	371	0
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	81 559	6 928	65 274	61 875
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	14 683	92	0	0
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	4 800	0	67 144	0
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	101 070	7 020	132 789	61 875
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	10 789	215	32 845	126
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	2,288 250	345 238	4 577 606	882 268
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	996 883	0	1 743 727	102 000
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	22 917	13 176	119 072	168 417
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	13 551	0	11 534	0
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	1 033 350	13 176	1 874 333	270 417
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	1 254 899	332 062	2 703 273	611 851
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	1 440	0	0	0
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	0	0	0	0
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORD AND DELAYED ITEMS -NET	691	0	0	0
88	NET INCOME	1,255 648	332 062	2,703 273	611 851
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	3,953 985	378 967	1 815 609	234 678
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	4 388 712	0
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	178	0	12,000	0
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERV DR APPROP	5 209 455	711 029	8 895 594	846 529
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	885 511	238 744	1 958 600	0
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	4,323 943	472 285	6,936 994	846 529
	DIVIDENDS				
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
96	COMMON STOCK	645 511	238 744	1 958 600	0
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	14 25	8 80	16	0
98	PREFERRED STOCK	240 000	0	0	0
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	5 00			

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NO	ITEM	49 LORAIN TELEPHONE CO	50 MALHEUR HOME TELEPHONE CO	51 MID-PENN TELEPHONE CORPORATION	52 NAVAJO COMMUNICATIONS CO., INC
OPERATING REVENUES					
	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES				
	SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES				
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	5 412,900	823,202	8,739,044	636,165
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES	5 412,900	823,202	8,739,044	636,165
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	56,101	19,622	132,325	-2,122
104	SERVICE STATIONS	77,768	252	0	0
LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
105	TELEPHONE	182,488	1,157	263,319	0
106	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	0	0	0
108	TELPAC	0	0	0	0
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	907	475	0	0
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	0	111	0	0
111	OTHER SERVICES	0	1,185	0	0
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	183,395	2,928	263,319	0
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	40,540	0
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	5,730,164	846,004	9,175,227	634,043
TOLL SERVICE REVENUES					
	MESSAGE TOLLS				
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	3,456,310	639,868	7,370,460	2,087,160
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	0	0	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	3,456,310	639,868	7,370,460	2,087,160
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	62,194	45,373	126,620	27,882
TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
121	TELEPHONE	185,120	20,457	131,368	4,774
122	TELETYPEWRITER	0	6,575	0	4,799
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	222	0	0
124	TELPAC	0	26,682	0	0
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	26	7,434	0	0
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	0	0	0	0
127	OTHER SERVICES	0	6,658	0	0
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	185,146	68,028	131,368	9,574
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	0	0
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	3,723,651	753,269	7,628,449	2,124,615
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES					
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	1,800	28	1,085	0
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	0	0	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	349,367	79,388	457,672	43,246
134	RENT REVENUES	12,195	845	194,628	12,613
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	1,981	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	2,432	3,822	0	1,062
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	365,794	84,083	655,365	56,921
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	35,238	11,067	37,150	37,125
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	9,784,371	1,672,289	17,421,891	2,778,455
140	REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE	741,303	545,459	3,548,707	989,898
OPERATING EXPENSES					
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	1,634,335	203,404	2,873,803	392,191
	DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES				
142	DEPRECIATION	1,693,321	287,969	3,181,427	492,531
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	0	0	19,190	0
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	0	0	0	9,173
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	0	0	0
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	1,693,321	287,969	3,200,617	501,704

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	TRAFFIC EXPENSES				
147	OPERATORS WAGES	470,781	0	627,805	0
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	65,821	36,316	168,718	5,191
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	536,602	36,316	796,523	5,191
	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES				
150	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES	374,947	120,384	789,298	98,710
151	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	592,142	135,722	1,192,029	244,518
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES				
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	0	0	0
153	OPERATING RENTS	20,847	42,661	62,943	620
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	319,156	67,309	332,295	11,469
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	15,553	340,848	422
156	OTHER EXPENSES 6/	42,113	13,430	48,770	-57,277
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	382,115	112,093	784,856	-44,766
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	5,213,462	895,888	9,637,126	1,197,547
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	53.28	53.57	55.32	43.10
	COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE				
160	DEPRECIABLE ACCOUNTS	4.69	6.33		3.89
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	4.66	6.31		3.89
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	0	0
	MILES OF WIRE CABLE				
163	AERIAL	239,342	16,830	432,268	12,506
164	UNDERGROUND	86,031	6,839	47,413	0
165	BURIED	1,276	19,833	49,994	1,936
166	SUBMARINE	0	59	0	0
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	326,649	43,561	529,676	14,441
168	AERIAL WIRE	1,025	1,841	26,258	4,757
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	327,674	45,402	555,934	19,198
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	384	252	5,505	1,219
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	131	22	194	0
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	0	0	15	0
	CARRIER CHANNEL				
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	8,766	2,800	23,718	26,256
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	0	139	0	0
175	MILES OF VIDEO	0	0	0	0
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	0	0	0	0
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	0	47	0	430
	CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
178	ELECTRONIC	0	0	0	0
179	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	9	4	43	0
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	4	0	8	0
182	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	0
183	OTHER DIAL	0	0	0	0
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	13	4	51	0
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
185	ELECTRONIC	0	0	0	0
186	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	41,109	11,119	123,041	7,885
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	27,121	0	18,221	0
189	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	0
190	OTHER DIAL	0	0	0	0
191	MOBILE	0	2	39	20

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NO	ITEM	49 LORAIN TELEPHONE CO	50 MALHEUR HOME TELEPHONE CO	51 MID-PENN TELEPHONE CORPORATION	52 NAVAJO COMMUNICATIONS CO INC
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS				
192	MAIN	46,036	7,398	94,206	4,872
193	PBX	4,191	765	3,403	152
194	EXTENSION	18,003	2,96	43,692	2,881
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER				
195	BUSINESS	11,884	3,121	28,210	4,161
196	COIN	566	202	995	168
197	RESIDENCE	55,780	7,798	112,096	3,576
198	COMPANY TELEPHONES	68,230	11,121	141,301	7,905
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	1,178	4	0	0
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	0	10	28	7
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	69,408	11,135	141,329	7,912
202	WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES 8/	0	0	0	0
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	200	202	0	135
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	1,012	689	0	418
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	67,672	10,765	138,208	7,305
	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 9				
206	LOCAL CALLS	93,219,885	15,800,000	204,620,994	21/ 0
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	1,378	1,468	1,481	21/ 0
208	TOLL CALLS	5,566,823	1,780,145	13,354,348	20/ 1,585,682
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	82	165	97	217
	TELEGRAPH STATIONS				
210	PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER	0	6	0	0
211	PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER	0	0	0	0
212	DATA-PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER	0	2	0	0
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	8	0	0
	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE				
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING				
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING				
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE				
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS				
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES				
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 10/	0	1	0	2
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	15	2	0	20
223	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	0	0	0	0
	EMPLOYMENT, PENSIONS, ETC				
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	348	30	600	72
225	MALE	211	21	345	60
226	FEMALE	137	9	255	12
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	3,136,767	311,407	4,826,777	640,717
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	2,217,676	204,404	3,040,865	284,911
	BENEFITS 8/				
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
	PENSIONS 8/				
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	0	0	0	0
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	382,014	87,921	371,271	34,889

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NO	ITEM	53 NEMONT TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE INC	54 NORFOLK & CAROLINA TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	55 NORFOLK & CAROLINA TEL & TEL CO OF VA	56 PUERTO RICO TELEPHONE CO
BALANCE SHEET ASSETS					
COMMUNICATION PLANT					
1 TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	5 429 527	20 652 715	6 627 251	305 251 103	
2 TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	525 261	682 014	2 537 235	28 849 367	
3 PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	0	0	0	210 000	
4 TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	0	0	0	
5 SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	0	0	0	
6 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT -GROSS	5 954 788	21 334 729	9 164 486	331 310 470	
7 LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	3 000 545	5 218 188	1 549 509	54 677 176	
8 AMORTIZATION RESERVE	0	0	0	0	
9 EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	0	0	0	
10 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT -NET	2 954 244	16 116 541	7 614 977	279 633 294	
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11 INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
12 ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
13 MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	0	0	0	0	
14 OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	10 866	9 229	0	5 601	
15 TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	10 866	9 229	0	5 601	
CURRENT ASSETS					
16 CASH	92 325	385 940	496 765	4 368 840	
17 TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	487 951	0	0	0	
18 NOTES RECEIVABLE	0	0	0	2 102	
19 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS, AGENTS AND OTHERS	113 683	582 381	224 738	11 079 781	
20 MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	36 761	285 859	134 202	1 650 280	
21 ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	13 736	117 409	325	82 088	
22 TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	744 456	1 371 588	856 030	17 183 091	
23 OTHER ASSETS	0	0	0	0	
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24 PREPAID ACCOUNTS	5 282	8 079	123 915	247 757	
25 ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	47 721	162 566	20 166	3 450 421	
26 TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	53 002	170 645	144 081	3 698 178	
27 TOTAL ASSETS	3 762 568	17 668 004	8 615 089	300 520 164	
BALANCE SHEET - LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28 COMMON STOCK	78 094	3 140 000	1 500 000	1 000	
29 PREFERRED STOCK	0	600 000	250 000	7 211 750	
30 CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	0	0	0	
31 INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
32 PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	36 000	0	72 285 350	
33 OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	1 815	0	0	0	
34 RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	0	0	0	0	
35 UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	1 073 615	2 019 405	504 364	40 131 675	
36 LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
37 CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	0	0	600	0	
38 TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	1 153 524	5 795 405	2 253 764	119 629 775	
LONG-TERM DEBT					
FUNDED DEBT					
39 MORTGAGE BONDS	0	2 244 000	0	0	
40 DEBENTURES	0	6 015 000	0	119 610 000	
41 OTHER FUNDED DEBT	0	0	2 087 826	0	
42 TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	0	8 259 000	2 087 826	119 610 000	
43 ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
44 ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	2 526 241	0	0	0	
45 TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	2 526 241	8 259 000	2 087 826	119 610 000	
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46 NOTES PAYABLE	0	2 000 000	1 980 000	43 175 000	
47 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	15 339	867 036	2 107 518	6 497 420	
48 TAXES ACCRUED	30 629	103 257	820	3 942 985	
49 OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	36 835	327 128	78 559	7 383 299	
50 TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	82 803	3 297 421	4 166 897	60 998 704	

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DEFERRED CREDITS					
51	PREMIUM ON LONG-TERM DEBT	0	0	0	0
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES-ACCEL TAX DEPREC	0	0	0	0
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	0	316,178	106,602	0
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	0	0	0	281,685
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	0	316,178	106,602	281,685
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	3,762,568	17,668,004	8,615,089	300,520,164
INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT					
TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME					
57	OPERATING REVENUES	1,023,866	5,179,427	1,383,989	62,302,821
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	810,032	3,293,370	869,095	39,178,876
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	213,834	1,886,057	514,893	23,123,945
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS					
TAXES					
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	0	275,220	82,311	0
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED-ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	0	0	0	0
64	STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	0	48,952	0	2,089,000
65	PROPERTY TAXES	17,167	196,133	71,035	4,719,968
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	10,437	186,235	34,457	1,657,776
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	8,304	77,383	13,955	1,079,420
68	OTHER TAXES	0	389	3,176	108,481
69	TOTAL TAXES	35,908	784,312	204,934	9,654,645
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	0	0	0	0
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	0	64,834	10,998	0
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	177,926	1,036,910	298,962	13,469,300
OTHER INCOME					
73	DIVIDENDS INCOME	85	683	0	0
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	0	50,390	10,261	1,955,264
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	18,416	18	0	0
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	0	0	0	27,277
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	18,501	51,091	10,261	1,982,541
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	15	32,918	6,131	-365,396
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	196,412	1,055,083	303,091	15,817,237
FIXED CHARGES					
80	INTEREST ON FUNDEO DEBT	45,998	543,056	115,969	9,113,582
81	OTHER INTEREST ODEUCTIONS	0	55,042	54,352	1,732,212
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	0	11,945	1,555	92,516
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	45,998	610,044	171,876	10,938,310
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	150,414	445,039	131,215	4,878,927
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	3,786	0	0	0
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	77,976	0	76,539	0
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS -NET	0	0	-36,739	0
88	NET INCOME	76,224	445,039	91,415	4,878,927
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	998,651	1,830,166	817,199	35,822,544
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	7,197	0	0	0
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	8,457	0	0	0
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERV OR APPROP	1,073,615	2,275,205	908,614	40,701,471
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
94	OIVIOENO APPROPRIATIONS	0	255,800	404,250	569,796
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	1,073,615	2,019,405	504,364	40,131,675
DIVIDENDOS					
DIVIDENDOS DECLARED					
96	COMMON STOCK	0	219,800	389,250	0
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	7 00	16/		
98	PREFERRED STOCK	0	36,000	15,000	569,796
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	17/	6 00	6 00	7 64

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OPERATING REVENUES					
100	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES				
100	SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES				
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	209,232	2,256,516	742,618	33,945,522
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES	209,232	2,256,516	742,618	33,945,522
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	245	43,913	18,070	787,496
104	SERVICE STATIONS	0	0	0	0
LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
105	TELEPHONE	0	4,736	1,087	1,033,712
106	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	0	0	0
108	TELPAK	0	0	0	0
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION AUDIO	0	2,214	0	0
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION VIDEO	0	0	0	0
111	OTHER SERVICES	3,633	0	0	0
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	3,633	6,950	1,087	1,033,712
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	207,079	0	311,516	0
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	420,190	2,307,379	1,073,292	35,766,731
TOLL SERVICE REVENUES					
MESSAGE TOLLS					
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	248,584	2,527,342	249,458	24,287,992
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	0	0	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	248,584	2,527,342	249,458	24,287,992
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	0	57,905	1,077	0
TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
121	TELEPHONE	0	159,769	27,535	1,429,084
122	TELETYPEWRITER	10,152	26,445	3,667	0
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	0	0	0
124	TELPAK	0	0	0	0
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION AUDIO	0	0	0	0
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION VIDEO	0	0	0	0
127	OTHER SERVICES	316,171	0	0	0
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	326,323	186,213	31,202	1,429,084
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	0	0
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	574,908	2,771,460	281,737	25,717,077
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES					
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	0	720	333	23,092
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	0	0	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	5,845	125,530	31,393	2,718,535
134	RENT REVENUES	24,488	17,210	5,124	1,387
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	0	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	19	0	0	0
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	30,353	143,460	36,850	2,743,014
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	1,584	42,871	7,891	1,924,000
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	1,023,866	5,179,427	1,383,989	62,302,821
REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE					
140	REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE	249,028	1,714,521	180,220	13,589,169
OPERATING EXPENSES					
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	169,216	896,837	303,315	12,145,638
DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES					
142	DEPRECIATION	462,205	893,425	279,278	12,790,085
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	0	0	0	0
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUIS. ADJUSTMENT	0	0	0	0
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	462,205	893,425	279,278	12,790,085

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TRAFFIC EXPENSES					
147	OPERATORS' WAGES	0	614,077	0	4,384,634
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	2,349	18,212	38,228	725,586
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	2,349	632,289	38,228	5,110,220
150	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES	52,693	253,605	87,021	2,947,791
151	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	63,931	408,271	105,580	4,619,028
OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES					
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	0	0	0
153	OPERATING RENTS	7,711	19,275	14,174	287,266
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	21,413	126,924	18,804	1,150,442
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	0	625,557
156	OTHER EXPENSES 6/	30,515	62,744	22,696	497,151
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	59,639	208,943	55,674	1,566,114
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	810,032	3,293,370	869,095	39,178,876
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	79.12	63.59	62.80	62.88
COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE					
160	DEPRECIABLE ACCOUNTS	9.81	4.72	4.54	4.56
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	9.78	4.67	4.48	4.54
PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS					
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	0	0
MILES OF WIRE CABLE					
163	AERIAL	1,028	178,428	79,037	800,186
164	UNDERGROUND	301	13,936	10,084	934,160
165	BURIED	21,525	40,069	1,562	276,744
166	SUBMARINE	0	929	582	0
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	22,855	233,362	91,265	2,011,091
168	AERIAL WIRE	6,520	7,837	987	9,504
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	29,375	241,199	92,252	2,020,595
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	1,741	1,001	226	1,364
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	0	7	12	579
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	13	0	0	0
CARRIER CHANNEL					
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	6,731	18,625	9,911	93,271
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	0	0	0	0
175	MILES OF VIDEO	0	0	0	0
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	0	0	0	128
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	0	422	0	0
CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD					
178	ELECTRONIC	0	0	0	0
179	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	5	17	2	0
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	0	0	0	11
182	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	0
183	OTHER DIAL	9	0	0	55
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	14	17	2	66
COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD					
185	ELECTRONIC	0	0	0	0
186	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	1,189	32,097	10,390	0
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	0	0	0	45,233
189	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	0
190	OTHER DIAL	2,023	0	0	305,686
191	MOBILE	30	0	0	0

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TABLE 16 --STATISTICS OF TELEPHONE CARRIERS REPORTING ANNUALLY TO THE COMMISSION AS OF DECEMBER 31 1972 AND FOR YEAR THEN ENDED
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NO	ITEM	53 NEMONT TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE INC	54 NORFOLK & CAROLINA TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	55 NORFOLK & CAROLINA TEL & TEL CO OF VA	56 PUERTO RICO TELEPHONE CO
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS				
192	MAIN	2,222	22,882	6,911	200,094
193	PBX	185	2,223	141	78,419
194	EXTENSION	835	6,992	3,338	72,406
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER				
195	BUSINESS	534	8,048	1,553	171,390
196	COIN	16	339	69	3,543
197	RESIDENCE	2,692	23,710	8,768	175,986
	198 COMPANY TELEPHONES	3,242	32,097	10,390	350,919
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	0	0	0	5,591
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	0	0	0	841
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	3,242	32,097	10,390	357,351
	202 WIOE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES 8/	0	0	0	0
203	OISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	150	267	154	16,167
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	276	2,538	0	31,172
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	3,215	30,699	9,990	344,972
	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 9/				
206	LOCAL CALLS	4 023 818	58,737,097	26,119,632	525,446,481
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	1,252	1,913	2,615	1,523
208	TOLL CALLS	372 208	3,609 134	467,654	11,130,670
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	116	117	47	32
	TELEGRAPH STATIONS				
210	PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
211	PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER	0	5	0	0
212	DATA-PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	5	0	0
	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE				
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING				
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0 15/	0
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0 15	13,589,169
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING				
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE				
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS				
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES				
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 10/	0	0	0	0
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	30	0	0	0
223	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	0	0	0	0
	EMPLOYMENT PENSIONS, ETC				
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	26	278	66	3,266
225	MALE	21	114	48	1,623
226	FEMALE	5	164	18	1,643
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	259 468	1,905,831	349 800	21,574,910
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	182 160	1,505,857	272 651	16,847,859
	BENEFITS 8				
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
	PENSIONS 8				
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	0	0	0	0
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	31 474	143,544	20 292	1,583,442

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NO	ITEM	57 RCA ALASKA COMMUNICATIONS INC	58 UNITED INTER-MOUNTAIN TELEPHONE CO	59 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF INDIANA, INC	60 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF THE NORTHWEST
BALANCE SHEET--ASSETS					
1	COMMUNICATION PLANT				
1	TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	59,589,341	136,982,577	114,339,328	50,706,699
2	TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	10,670,537	5,789,240	3,348,836	3,010,419
3	PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	584	52,401	177,791	58,590
4	TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	1,372,965	1,315,680	- 515	0
5	SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
6	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	71,633,427	144,139,898	117,865,440	53,775,708
7	LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	25,124,172	29,372,735	18,308,260	10,675,459
8	AMORTIZATION RESERVE	75,087	354,850	0	0
9	EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	0	0	0
10	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--NET	46,434,168	114,412,313	99,557,180	43,100,249
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11	INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	335,062
12	ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0
13	MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	931	0	13,014	9,391
14	OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	0	64,568	72,312	43,503
15	TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	931	64,568	85,326	387,956
CURRENT ASSETS					
16	CASH	1,442,345	1,611,378	2,039,195	836,630
17	TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	0	0	0	0
18	NOTES RECEIVABLE	0	0	0	275,000
19	ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS, AGENTS AND OTHERS	7,571,196	4,417,488	3,485,824	3,152,987
20	MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	944,152	2,174,198	1,339,051	703,474
21	ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	- 299,022	52,271	38,565	61,352
22	TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	9,658,671	8,255,335	6,902,635	5,029,443
23	OTHER ASSETS	0	0	0	0
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24	PREPAID ACCOUNTS	114,299	549,452	33,683	19,634
25	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	4,114,292	802,663	653,423	681,363
26	TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	4,228,591	1,352,115	687,106	700,997
27	TOTAL ASSETS	60,322,361	124,084,331	107,232,247	49,218,645
BALANCE SHEET--LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28	COMMON STOCK	29,603,620	44,576,210	29,894,100	13,665,232
29	PREFERRED STOCK	0	0	1,100,000	600,000
30	CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	0	0	0
31	INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0
32	PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	81,380	0	2,000,000	2,579
33	OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	0	1,058,866	285,574	-39,319
34	RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	0	0	0	920,289
35	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	1,667,341	8,975,869	13,087,641	7,384,682
36	LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	15,000	5,000
37	CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	0	927	71,225	86,162
38	TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	31,352,341	54,610,018	46,281,090	22,442,301
LONG-TERM DEBT					
FUNDED DEBT					
39	MORTGAGE BONDS	0	56,496,000	44,238,450	20,980,900
40	DEBENTURES	0	0	0	0
41	OTHER FUNDED DEBT	0	0	0	0
42	TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	0	56,496,000	44,238,450	20,980,900
43	ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	21,090,000	0	0	0
44	ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	0	0	35,343	2,400,000
45	TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	21,090,000	56,496,000	44,273,793	23,380,900
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46	NOTES PAYABLE	0	1,900,000	5,400,000	0
47	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	3,933,135	1,917,441	1,706,576	977,739
48	TAXES ACCRUED	524,017	842,124	2,204,024	838,793
49	OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	197,838	2,093,553	1,561,088	687,498
50	TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	4,654,990	6,753,118	10,871,689	2,504,030

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NO	ITEM	57 RCA ALASKA COMMUNICATIONS INC	58 UNITED INTER MOUNTAIN TELEPHONE CO	59 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF INDIANA INC	60 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF THE NORTHWEST
	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG-TERM DEBT	0	0	0	10 585
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES ACCEL TAX DEPREC	3 225 030	4 413 553	4 127 387	533 448
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	0	1 813 954	1 605 804	316 410
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	0	-2 312	72 485	30 971
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	3 225 030	6 225 195	5 805 676	891 414
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	60 322 361	124 084 331	107 232 247	49 218 645
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	35 532 610	33 542 298	32 688 376	15 750 630
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	31 653 423	19 155 328	17 973 160	8 490 080
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	3 879 187	14 386 970	14 715 216	7 260 550
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	18 265	0	0	0
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	1 006 000	1 381 924	2 138 182	1 244 219
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	0	1 676 173	1 470 162	432 822
64	STATE COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	172 708	0	0	157 984
65	PROPERTY TAXES	272 448	1 636 466	1 965 490	652 267
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	8 096	404 999	562 968	0
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	351 968	594 995	417 535	144 337
68	OTHER TAXES	4 377	373 884	0	195 408
69	TOTAL TAXES	1 799 405	6 068 441	6 554 337	2 827 037
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	0	0	0	0
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	0	473 542	357 097	268 590
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	2 098 047	7 844 987	7 803 783	4 164 923
	OTHER INCOME				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	0	0	60	39 744
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	262 926	580 000	472 101	177 372
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	0	0	33 830	31 024
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	18 620	997	-35	577
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	281 546	580 997	505 955	248 717
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	4 550	34 100	32 028	17 764
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	2 375 043	8 391 884	8 277 710	4 395 876
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	0	3 086 377	2 797 263	1 220 959
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	1 229 366	413 151	152 440	97 446
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	0	21 527	26 481	11 030
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	1 229 366	3 521 055	2 976 183	1 329 435
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	1 145 677	4 870 829	5 301 526	3 066 441
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	0	0	0	0
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	0	0	551	0
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS--NET	0	0	233	0
88	NET INCOME	1 145 677	4 870 829	5 301 208	3 066 441
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	521 407	7 298 387	11 257 719	4 842 684
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	256	0	0	1 179 043
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	3 403	0	0
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERVES OR APPROPRIATIONS	1 667 340	12 165 813	16 558 926	9 088 168
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	0	3 189 944	3 471 285	1 703 486
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	1 667 341	8 975 869	13 087 641	7 384 682
	DIVIDENDS				
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
96	COMMON STOCK	0	3 189 944	3 419 885	1 673 486
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE		7 70	11 44	12 52
98	PREFERRED STOCK	0	0	51 400	30 000
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE		17	4 67	5 00

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NO	ITEM	57 RCA ALASKA COMMUNICATIONS INC	58 UNITED INTER-MOUNTAIN TELEPHONE CO	59 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF INDIANA, INC	60 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF THE NORTHWEST
OPERATING REVENUES					
LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES					
SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES					
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	24,446	18,077,650	15,191,779	5,152,620
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0	27,474	0	0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES	24,446	18,105,124	15,191,779	5,152,620
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	8,474	238,939	276,352	78,969
104	SERVICE STATIONS	0	202	0	1,656
LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
105	TELEPHONE	10,663	323,414	240	35,284
106	TELETYPEWRITER	0	94,660	0	15,621
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	1,111	0	24
108	TELPAK	0	0	0	0
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	0	32,721	11,973	4,748
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	1,923	15,248	0	0
111	OTHER SERVICES	0	1,609	34,993	9,292
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	12,586	468,763	47,207	64,969
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	0	71	475,369	0
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	45,506	18,813,099	15,990,707	5,298,214
TOLL SERVICE REVENUES					
MESSAGE TOLLS					
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	28,129,056	11,947,898	14,924,839	9,729,210
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	548,515	0	0	0
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	485,696	0	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	29,163,267	11,947,898	14,924,839	9,729,210
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	187	0	671,827	374,504
TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
121	TELEPHONE	2,165,946	771,962	309,320	123,742
122	TELETYPEWRITER	2,627,435	0	86,787	44
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	0	0	3,266
124	TELPAK	0	0	0	0
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	56,180	0	5,972	- 357
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	23,194	0	0	0
127	OTHER SERVICES	675	0	39,325	82,328
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	4,873,430	771,962	441,404	209,023
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	0	1,166
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	34,036,697	13,391,687	15,740,747	10,004,408
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES					
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	0	3,527	0	708
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	0	0	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	0	1,079,553	897,315	378,126
134	RENT REVENUES	49,940	390,470	112,482	47,266
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	0	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	1,560,575	18,702	0	52,117
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	1,610,515	1,492,252	1,009,797	478,217
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	160,107	154,740	52,875	30,209
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	35,532,610	33,542,298	32,688,376	15,750,630
OPERATING EXPENSES					
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	3,652,381	5,372,344	4,688,180	2,224,224
DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES					
142	DEPRECIATION	2,531,882	6,443,040	5,785,218	3,109,044
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	0	0	113	0
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUIS ADJUSTMENT	50,124	80,064	0	0
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	2,582,006	6,523,104	5,785,331	3,109,044

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NO	ITEM	57 RCA ALASKA COMMUNICATIONS INC	58 UNITED INTER-MOUNTAIN TELEPHONE CO	59 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF INDIANA INC	60 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF THE NORTHWEST
	TRAFFIC EXPENSES				
147	OPERATORS WAGES	3 412 919	2,491 776	2,581,368	941 928
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	1 913 604	373 383	700,034	158 747
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	5 326,523	2,865,159	3 281 402	1 100 675
	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES				
150	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	461,248	1,863,344	1,845,841	796 976
151		2,307,103	1,368,975	1,120,726	796 321
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES				
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	0	0	0
153	OPERATING RENTS	16,316,385	187 312	154 978	122 608
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	548,516	819 525	975 355	421 145
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	421,028	337 590	302 664	128 938
156	OTHER EXPENSES 6/	38,234	182 025	181 317	209,851
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	17,324,162	1,162 402	1,251,680	462,839
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	31,653,423	19,155,326	17,973,160	8,490,080
	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	89.08	57.11	54.98	53.90
	COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE				
160	DEPRECIABLE ACCOUNTS	4.78	5.10	5.74	6.07
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	4.69	5.07	5.69	6.05
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	0	0
	MILES OF WIRE CABLE				
163	AERIAL	2,297	884,009	429,673	151,749
164	UNDERGROUND	35	367,488	98,287	5,038
165	BURIED	3,179	133,106	309,284	98,714
166	SUBMARINE	407	163	39	31
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	5,918	1,384,765	837,283	255,532
168	AERIAL WIRE	9,214	38,609	49,520	13,029
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	15,132	1,423,374	886,803	268,562
	MILES OF POLE LINE	745	5,289	7,720	2,045
170		3	641	229	11
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	0	0	38	0
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT				
	CARRIER CHANNEL				
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	211,297	125,114	56,269	34,210
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	100,330	3,141	0	521
175	MILES OF VIDEO	264	0	0	0
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	386	0	0	0
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	1,698	258	0	353
	CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
178	ELECTRONIC	0	0	0	0
179	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	0	41	78	30
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	0	9	23	11
182	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	18
183	OTHER DIAL	0	0	0	0
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	0	50	101	59
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
185	ELECTRONIC	0	0	0	0
186	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	308	150,223	130,242	38,809
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	0	81,204	44,754	27,580
189	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	6,266
190	OTHER DIAL	57	0	0	0
191	MOBILE	0	68	14	73

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NO	ITEM	57 RCA ALASKA COMMUNICATIONS INC	58 UNITED INTER-MOUNTAIN TELEPHONE CO	59 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF INDIANA, INC	60 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF THE NORTHWEST
COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS					
192	MAIN	257	155,746	119,592	50,653
193	PBX	57	18,264	8,672	8,459
194	EXTENSION	51	57,485	46,746	13,616
COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER					
195	BUSINESS	150	54,131	36,013	18,425
196	COIN	3	1,743	851	597
197	RESIDENCE	211	175,621	138,146	53,706
198	COMPANY TELEPHONES	365	231,495	175,010	72,728
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	0	16	0	95
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	0	255	0	0
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	365	231,766	175,010	72,823
202	WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES 8/	0	0	0	0
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	0	624	775	2,365
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	83	20,156	22,680	11,719
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	360	225,100	170,750	68,256
TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 9					
206	LOCAL CALLS	21/	561,625,303	274,677,089	124,503,912
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	21/	2,495	1,609	1,824
208	TOLL CALLS	13,218,802	27,608,904	31,903,175	14,008,262
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	36,719	123	187	205
TELEGRAPH STATIONS					
210	PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER	844	46	0	0
211	PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER	342	0	0	0
212	DATA-PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	1,186	46	0	0
OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE					
MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING					
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING					
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
PRIVATE LINE SERVICE					
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	52,032	0	0	0
MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS					
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	8,445	0	0	0
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	27,357	0	0	0
DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES					
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 10/	0	4	0	5
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	0	68	14	73
223	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	0	0	0	0
EMPLOYMENT, PENSIONS, ETC					
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	851	1,758	1,373	544
225	MALE	364	962	608	263
226	FEMALE	487	796	765	281
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	10,522,481	12,624,030	10,099,989	4,219,761
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	8,660,179	9,738,229	6,425,885	2,721,746
BENEFITS 8/					
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
PENSIONS 8/					
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	0	0	0	0
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	0	957,091	1,239,013	510,765

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NO	ITEM	61 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF OHIO	62 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF THE WEST	63 VIRGIN ISLANDS TELEPHONE CORPORATION	64 WEST COAST TELEPHONE CO OF CALIFORNIA
BALANCE SHEET: ASSETS					
COMMUNICATION PLANT					
1 TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	297 631 050	17 511 400	36 024 016	6 259 249	
2 TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	12 047 525	107 808	2 962 382	347 326	
3 PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	215 064	0	2 098	0	
4 TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	15 614	0	0	
5 SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	0	0	0	
6 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT - GRDSS	309 893 639	17 634 822	38 988 496	6 606 575	
7 LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	60 481 662	3 285 836	4 508 540	1 675 034	
8 AMORTIZATION RESERVE	3 604	0	0	0	
9 EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	0	0	0	
10 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT - NET	249 408 373	14 348 986	34 479 956	4 931 541	
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11 INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
12 ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
13 MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	279 527	0	0	0	
14 OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	13 090	12 654	0	0	
15 TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	292 617	12 654	0	0	
CURRENT ASSETS					
16 CASH	1 132 915	301 459	247 372	249 626	
17 TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	0	0	0	0	
18 NOTES RECEIVABLE	2 020 850	1 900 000	0	0	
19 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS AGENTS AND DTHRS	7 909 341	613 383	1 857 669	386 986	
20 MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	3 805 823	196 924	758 158	72 516	
21 ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	225 045	19 939	15 373	1 405	
22 TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	15 093 974	3 031 705	2 878 572	710 532	
23 OTHER ASSETS	- 400	0	0	0	
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24 PREPAID ACCOUNTS	1 631 955	6 307	102 503	1 591	
25 ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	9 643 166	126 098	545 099	0	
26 TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	11 275 121	132 405	647 602	1 591	
27 TOTAL ASSETS	276 069 685	17 525 750	38 006 130	5 643 665	
BALANCE SHEET - LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28 COMMON STOCK	47 268 000	3 308 946	5 000 000	2 329 400	
29 PREFERRED STOCK	20 000 000	0	0	0	
30 CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	0	0	0	
31 INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
32 PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	9 465 000	0	0	0	
33 OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	7 015 703	0	7 500 000	0	
34 RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	0	0	0	0	
35 UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	38 717 595	3 242 194	2 309 981	2 877 885	
36 LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	1 488	0	0	
37 CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	300 248	0	0	0	
38 TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	122 166 050	6 549 652	14 809 981	5 207 285	
LONG-TERM DEBT					
FUNDED DEBT					
39 MORTGAGE BONDS	122 217 000	6 214 000	0	0	
40 DEBENTURES	0	0	0	0	
41 OTHER FUNDED DEBT	0	0	10 000 000	0	
42 TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	122 217 000	6 214 000	10 000 000	0	
43 ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	6 172 375	0	
44 ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	0	0	0	0	
45 TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	122 217 000	6 214 000	16 172 375	0	
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46 NOTES PAYABLE	4 050 000	2 970 000	5 382 125	0	
47 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	5 724 186	232 638	801 632	117 419	
48 TAXES ACCRUED	11 055 715	257 498	52 611	210 990	
49 OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	4 546 728	268 644	393 648	40 875	
50 TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	25 376 629	3 728 780	6 630 016	369 284	

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NO	ITEM	61 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF OHIO	62 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF THE WEST	63 VIRGIN ISLANDS TELEPHONE CORPORATION	64 WEST COAST TELEPHONE CO OF CALIFORNIA
	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG-TERM DEBT	0	0	0	0
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES-ACCEL TAX DEPREC	0	709,624	0	52,981
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	1,985,237	303,305	75,989	16,221
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	4,324,769	20,389	317,769	-2,106
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	6,310,006	1,033,318	393,758	67,095
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	276,069,685	17,525,750	38,006,130	5,643,665
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	77,467,454	4,817,129	7,843,969	2,386,131
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	48,787,069	2,590,652	5,432,722	1,293,259
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	28,680,385	2,226,477	2,411,247	1,092,872
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	143,747	635,182	54,041	367,735
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED-ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	0	0	0	20,540
64	STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	0	6,118	0	41,361
65	PROPERTY TAXES	2,681	285,382	0	144,847
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	2,114,874	0	0	0
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	1,148,154	42,344	108,088	37,584
68	OTHER TAXES	5,121,297	8,316	79,061	3,098
69	TOTAL TAXES	8,530,753	977,342	241,190	615,165
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	0	0	0	0
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	1,320,885	29,890	54,698	10,547
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	18,828,747	1,219,245	2,115,359	467,160
	OTHER INCOME				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	185	0	0	0
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	0	8,962	298,037	4,817
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	900,268	23,860	0	34
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	6,699	407	947	0
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	907,152	32,415	297,090	4,851
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	2,933,243	6,829	3,789	868
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	16,802,656	1,244,831	2,408,660	471,143
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	6,938,882	359,496	854,722	0
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	672,368	80,748	507,587	15,466
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	47,669	3,974	1,218	0
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	7,658,919	444,218	1,363,527	15,466
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	9,143,737	800,613	1,045,133	455,678
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	0	0	0	0
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	0	0	0	0
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS--NET	0	0	0	0
88	NET INCOME	9,143,737	800,613	1,045,133	455,678
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	36,793,666	2,955,117	1,264,848	2,722,207
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	32	0	0
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERV OR APPROP	45,937,403	3,755,762	2,309,981	3,177,884
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	7,219,808	513,568	0	300,000
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	38,717,595	3,242,194	2,309,981	2,877,885
	DIVIDENDS				
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
96	COMMON STOCK	5,539,808	513,568	0	300,000
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	11.72	15.52	0	12.88
98	PREFERRED STOCK	1,680,000	0	0	0
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	8.40			

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NO	ITEM	61 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF OHIO	62 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF THE WEST	63 VIRGIN ISLANDS TELEPHONE CORPORATION	64 WEST COAST TELEPHONE CO OF CALIFORNIA
	OPERATING REVENUES				
	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES				
	SUBSCRIBERS STATION REVENUES				
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	38 298 756	2 232 614	5 053 677	615 239
101	TELETYPEWRITER	111 691	0	0	0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS STATION REVENUES	38 410 447	2 232 614	5 053 677	615 239
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	726 248	8 330	80 023	10 421
104	SERVICE STATIONS	0	7 273	0	0
	LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
105	TELEPHONE	158 981	17 377	121 969	1 543
106	TELETYPEWRITER	101 948	0	0	0
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	149	0	0
108	TELPAC	0	0	0	0
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	15 847	4 096	0	1 286
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	6 277	0	0	0
111	OTHER SERVICES	81 335	2 175	0	3 559
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	364 388	23 797	121 969	6 388
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	0	0
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	39 501 083	2 272 014	5 255 669	632 049
	TOLL SERVICE REVENUES				
	MESSAGE TOLLS				
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	32 087 725	2 123 305	2 757 086	1 600 609
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	0	19 010	0	0
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	0	15	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	32 087 725	2 142 330	2 757 086	1 600 609
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	1 593 965	67 264	0	9 783
	TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
121	TELEPHONE	1 002 126	101 205	29 302	1 419
122	TELETYPEWRITER	0	30 884	0	36
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	8 082	0	5
124	TELPAC	0	0	0	44 209
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION -AUDIO	0	4 692	0	43
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	0	0	0	0
127	OTHER SERVICES	0	31 043	0	32 129
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	1 002 126	175 906	29 302	77 831
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	0	0
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	34 683 816	2 385 500	2 786 388	1 688 223
	MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES				
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	0	0	0	124
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	0	0	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	3 220 410	160 527	151 098	57 945
134	RENT REVENUES	599 055	3 432	7 350	7 895
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	0	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	4 090	2 121	0	36
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	3 823 555	166 080	158 448	65 999
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	541 000	6 465	356 536	140
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	77 467 454	4 817 129	7 843 969	2 386 131
140	REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE	15 251 112	1 702 673	2 757 086	741 385
	OPERATING EXPENSES				
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	12 943 006	611 472	1 381 001	286 141
	DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES				
142	DEPRECIATION	15 003 474	1 023 384	1 996 735	395 184
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	0	0	42 822	0
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	0	0	0
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	15 003 474	1 023 384	2 039 557	395 184

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	TRAFFIC EXPENSES				
147	OPERATORS' WAGES	6,077,612	256,657	442,056	233,194
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	1,871,329	29,939	176,390	52,779
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	7,948,941	286,596	618,446	285,973
	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES				
150	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES	5,287,981	276,139	382,839	104,666
151	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	4,382,532	265,895	918,109	137,787
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES				
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	0	0	0
153	OPERATING RENTS	420,722	20,577	120,508	22,054
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	2,637,059	123,712	68,573	50,765
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	786,740	39,350	233,725	15,783
156	OTHER EXPENSES 6/	- 623,386	- 56,473	330,036	- 5,095
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	3,221,135	127,166	92,770	83,508
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	48,787,069	2,590,652	5,432,722	1,293,259
	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES				
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	62.98	53.78	69.26	54.20
	COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE				
160	DEPRECIABLE ACCOUNTS	5.64	6.26	5.80	7.17
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	5.58	6.20	5.68	7.09
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	0	0
	MILES OF WIRE				
	CABLE				
163	AERIAL	9/ 1,199,030	40,265	114,212	30,839
164	UNDERGROUND	9/ 419,817	32,853	42,834	1,390
165	BURIED	9/ 147,083	11,799	48,674	2,893
166	SUBMARINE	9/ 622	0	1,224	0
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	1,766,552	84,917	206,944	35,122
168	AERIAL WIRE	37,687	6,017	1,472	489
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	1,804,239	90,934	208,416	35,611
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	0	1,838	1,027	88
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	0	24	46	5
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	411	0	0	0
	CARRIER CHANNEL				
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	97,591	20,434	20,673	12,897
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	552	0	277	880
175	MILES OF VIDEO	10	0	0	0
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	210	0	0	0
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	171	222	49	73
	CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
178	ELECTRONIC	0	0	0	0
179	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	77	10	1	4
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	58	5	4	0
182	PANEL DIAL	68	0	0	0
183	OTHER DIAL	3	0	0	0
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	206	15	5	4
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
185	ELECTRONIC	0	0	0	0
186	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	225,211	13,731	487	7,925
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	214,578	17,021	29,797	0
189	PANEL DIAL	48,474	0	0	0
190	OTHER DIAL	3,539	0	0	0
191	MOBILE	44	18	0	0

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	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS				
192	MAIN	326 784	20 033	17 317	5 400
193	PBX	36 943	1 648	4 451	644
194	EXTENSION	128 119	9 089	8 516	1 881
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER				
195	BUSINESS	113 787	7 702	14 474	2 209
196	COIN	3 718	158	354	114
197	RESIDENCE	374 341	22 910	15 456	5 602
	COMPANY TELEPHONES	491 846	30 770	30 284	7 925
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	0	425	0	0
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	0	0	77	26
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	491 846	31 195	30 361	7 951
	202 WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES 8	0	0	0	0
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	19 260	19	1 522	222
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	57 643	3 196	4 105	335
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	478 835	30 242	28 521	7 666
	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 9				
206	LOCAL CALLS	950 501 350	40 764 758	102 846 480	12 784 290
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	1 985	1 348	3 606	1 668
208	TOLL CALLS	79 653 303	2 854 649	1 170 936	1 282 660
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	166	94	41	167
	TELEGRAPH STATIONS				
210	PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER	0	11	0	1
211	PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER	0	0	0	0
212	DATA-PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	11	0	1
	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE				
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING				
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0 15	0	0
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0 15	2 757 086	0
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING				
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE				
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS				
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES				
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 10	3	0	0	0
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	44	18	0	0
223	NUMBER OF ONE WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	73	32	0	0
	EMPLOYMENT PENSIONS ETC				
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	3 550	160	373	77
225	MALE	1 789	75	185	30
226	FEMALE	1 761	85	188	47
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	30 521 939	1 080 884	3 079 327	609 213
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	22 549 135	817 876	2 328 752	448 076
	BENEFITS 8				
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDED DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
	PENSIONS 8				
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	0	0	0	0
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	0	0	0	0
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	3 579 501	165 443	101 140	61 173

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NO	ITEM	65 WESTCO TELEPHONE CO	66 WESTERN CAROLINA TELEPHONE CO	67 WOODBURY TELEPHONE CO	
BALANCE SHEET - ASSETS					
1	COMMUNICATION PLANT				
1	TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	19,471,129	28,820,358	5,911,776	
2	TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	630,080	1,178,521	0	
3	PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	4,375	4,769	32,800	
4	TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	5,976	0	
5	SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	0	0	
6	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT - GROSS	20,105,584	30,009,624	5,944,576	
7	LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	2,153,684	2,872,430	1,269,879	
8	AMORTIZATION RESERVE	0	0	0	
9	EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	0	0	
10	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT - NET	17,951,900	27,137,194	4,674,696	
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11	INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	3,402,430	0	
12	ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	
13	MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	0	0	24,384	
14	OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	1,000	12,500	0	
15	TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	1,000	3,414,930	24,384	
CURRENT ASSETS					
16	CASH	175,060	254,404	64,560	
17	TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	0	0	0	
18	NOTES RECEIVABLE	0	100,000	0	
19	ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS, AGENTS AND OTHERS	770,693	1,285,520	302,780	
20	MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	0	611,851	99,563	
21	ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	3,420	9,077	118,561	
22	TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	949,173	2,260,852	585,464	
23	OTHER ASSETS	0	0	0	
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24	PREPAID ACCOUNTS	12,319	17,374	11,871	
25	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	95,634	242,579	5,786	
26	TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	107,953	259,953	17,658	
27	TOTAL ASSETS	19,010,026	33,072,929	5,302,202	
BALANCE SHEET - LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28	CAPITAL STOCK	3,402,430	4,487,560	1,319,000	
29	PREFERRED STOCK	500,000	1,900,000	0	
30	CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	0	0	
31	INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	
32	PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	5,160,029	290,997	
33	OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	0	0	0	
34	RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	0	0	0	
35	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	1,178,546	1,951,430	724,957	
36	LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	
37	CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	0	0	0	
38	TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	5,080,976	13,499,019	2,334,954	
LONG-TERM DEBT					
FUNDED DEBT					
39	MORTGAGE BONDS	7,042,517	14,696,000	822,400	
40	DEBENTURES	0	0	0	
41	OTHER FUNDED DEBT	3,000,000	0	0	
42	TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	10,042,517	14,696,000	822,400	
43	ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	
44	ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	0	0	1,594,000	
45	TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	10,042,517	14,696,000	2,416,400	
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46	NOTES PAYABLE	2,251,400	1,500,000	0	
47	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	423,020	803,053	180,794	
48	TAXES ACCRUED	125,337	207,783	97,359	
49	OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	198,756	482,583	80,948	
50	TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	2,998,513	2,993,419	359,102	

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NO	ITEM	65 WESTCO TELEPHONE CO	66 WESTERN CAROLINA TELEPHONE CO	67 WOODBURY TELEPHONE CO	
	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG-TERM DEBT	0	0	0	
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES ACCEL TAX DEPREC	361 764	605 531	94 748	
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	219 681	303 074	85 417	
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	306 575	975 886	11 581	
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	888 020	1 884 491	191 746	
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	19 010 026	33 072 929	5 302 202	
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	3 196 156	6 104 619	1 520 414	
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	1 970 020	3 647 744	735 213	
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	1 226 136	2 456 875	785 201	
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	-69 291	-87 027	148 146	
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED-ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	264 775	449 615	47 101	
64	STATE COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	0	0	41 129	
65	PROPERTY TAXES	126 756	192 922	6 275	
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	115 137	255 966	101 670	
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	57 885	65 890	21 535	
68	OTHER TAXES	1 112	2 091	546	
69	TOTAL TAXES	496 374	879 457	366 402	
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	0	0	0	
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	-17 208	-20 693	28 594	
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	746 970	1 598 111	390 205	
	OTHER INCOME				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	0	0	0	
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	31 807	73 008	5 910	
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	1 748	2 384	0	
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	91	1 044	1 027	
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	33 646	76 436	6 936	
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	7 305	2 678	1 041	
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	773 311	1 671 569	396 100	
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	434 739	916 340	52 496	
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	66 912	277 925	69 760	
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	2 242	13 012	987	
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	503 893	1 207 277	123 243	
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	269 418	464 592	272 857	
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	0	0	0	
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	0	0	0	
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORD AND DELAYED ITEMS--NET	0	0	0	
88	NET INCOME	269 418	464 592	272 857	
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	1 110 378	1 955 031	589 010	
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	150 000	0	
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	263	
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERV OR APPROP	1 379 796	2 569 623	861 605	
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	201 250	618 193	136 648	
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END DF YEAR	1 178 546	1 951 430	724 957	
	DIVIDENDS				
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
96	COMMON STOCK	150 000	546 558	136 648	
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	4 41	13 80	10 36	
98	PREFERRED STOCK	51 250	71 635	0	
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	10 25	21		

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TABLE 16 -- STATISTICS OF TELEPHONE CARRIERS REPORTING ANNUALLY TO THE COMMISSION AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1972 AND FOR YEAR THEN ENDED
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NO	ITEM	65 WESTCO TELEPHONE CO	66 WESTERN CAROLINA TELEPHONE CO	67 WOODBURY TELEPHONE CO	
OPERATING REVENUES					
LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES					
SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES					
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	1 581,449	2,726,460	853,160	
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES	1 581,449	2,726,460	853,160	
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	15,140	38,855	10,097	
104	SERVICE STATIONS	0	0	0	
LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
105	TELEPHONE	13,202	17,696	3,113	
106	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	0	0	
108	TELPAC	0	0	0	
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION -AUDIO	0	0	0	
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION -VIDEO	0	0	0	
111	OTHER SERVICES	0	0	0	
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	13,202	17,696	3,113	
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	0	
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	1,609,791	2,783,011	866,371	
TOLL SERVICE REVENUES					
MESSAGE TOLLS					
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	1,503,674	3,199,485	612,041	
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	0	0	0	
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	
118	TELEGRAM	0	0	0	
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	1,503,674	3,199,485	612,041	
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	18/	0	10,000	
TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
121	TELEPHONE	35,968	28,696	7,339	
122	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	0	0	
124	TELPAC	0	0	0	
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION -AUDIO	0	0	0	
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION -VIDEO	0	0	0	
127	OTHER SERVICES	0	0	0	
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	35,968	28,696	7,339	
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	0	
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	1,539,642	3,228,181	629,379	
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES					
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	2,260	3,553	281	
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	0	0	
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	53,691	97,666	22,969	
134	RENT REVENUES	5,601	13,929	592	
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	0	
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	154	0	7,466	
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	61,706	115,148	31,309	
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	14,983	21,721	6,645	
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	3,196,156	6,104,619	1,520,414	
OPERATING EXPENSES					
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	498,320	832,789	263,082	
DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES					
142	DEPRECIATION	873,759	1,245,464	224,639	
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	0	0	0	
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	0	0	0	
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	5,976	0	
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	873,759	1,251,440	224,639	

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TABLE 16 - STATISTICS OF TELEPHONE CARRIERS REPORTING ANNUALLY TO THE COMMISSION AS OF DECEMBER 31 1972 AND FOR YEAR THEN ENDED
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NO	ITEM	65 WESTCO TELEPHONE CO	66 WESTERN CAROLINA TELEPHONE CO	67 WOODBURY TELEPHONE CO	
	TRAFFIC EXPENSES				
147	OPERATORS WAGES	0	437 871	0	
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	53 735	124 414	5 875	
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	53 735	562 285	5 875	
	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES				
150	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	194 523	324 067	74 373	
151		271 669	531 074	100 255	
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES				
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	0	0	
153	OPERATING RENTS	55 724	68 713	0	
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	43 222	61 712	40 474	
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	0	
156	OTHER EXPENSES 6	-20 932	15 664	26 514	
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	78 014	146 089	66 989	
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	1 970 020	3 647 744	735 213	
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	61 64	59 75	48 36	
	COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE				
160	DEPRECIABLE ACCOUNTS	4 51	4 40	4 42	
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	4 49	4 30	4 40	
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	0	
	MILES OF WIRE CABLE				
163	AERIAL	129 712	149 705	55 630	
164	UNDERGROUND	2 287	3 316	1 845	
165	BURIED	38 041	44 405	18 667	
166	SUBMARINE	34	0	0	
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	170 075	197 426	76 141	
168	AERIAL WIRE	7 089	7 187	798	
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	177 164	204 613	76 940	
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	900	792	121	
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	6	8	3	
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	0	0	0	
	CARRIER CHANNEL				
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	0	0	695	
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	0	0	0	
175	MILES OF VIDEO	0	0	0	
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	0	0	0	
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	0	0	0	
	CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
178	ELECTRONIC	0	0	0	
179	MANUAL	0	0	0	
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	17	12	3	
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	0	0	0	
182	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	
183	OTHER DIAL	0	0	0	
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	17	12	3	
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
185	ELECTRONIC	0	0	0	
186	MANUAL	0	0	0	
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	23,596	33 839	12 261	
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	0	0	0	
189	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	
190	OTHER DIAL	0	0	0	
191	MOBILE	0	0	0	

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NO	ITEM	65 WESTCO TELEPHONE CO	66 WESTERN CAROLINA TELEPHONE CO	67 WOODBURY TELEPHONE CO	
COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS					
192 MAIN	19,444		25,807	7,132	
193 PBX	970		2,217	601	
194 EXTENSION	3,182		5,815	4,528	
COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER					
195 BUSINESS	4,315		7,192	1,994	
196 COIN	137		354	65	
197 RESIDENCE	19,144		26,293	10,202	
198 COMPANY TELEPHONES	23,596		33,839	12,261	
199 SERVICE TELEPHONES	0		0	0	
200 PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	0		0	6	
201 TOTAL TELEPHONES	23,596		33,839	12,267	
202 WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES 8	0		0	0	
203 DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	462		687	204	
204 TELEPHONES IN STOCK	1,656		2,484	661	
205 AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	22,594		32,137	11,456	
TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 9/					
206 LOCAL CALLS	40,739,140		52,079,326	14,524,953	
207 AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	1,803		1,621	1,268	
208 TOLL CALLS	1,889,034		2,595,584	1,911,181	
209 AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	84		81	167	
TELEGRAPH STATIONS					
210 PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER	0		0	0	
211 PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER	0		0	0	
212 DATA-PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER	0		0	0	
213 ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0		0	0	
214 TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0		0	0	
OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE					
MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING					
215 NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0		0	0	
216 REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0		0	0	
MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING					
217 REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0		0	0	
PRIVATE LINE SERVICE					
218 REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0		0	0	
MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS					
219 NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0		0	0	
220 REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0		0	0	
DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES					
221 NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 10/	0		0	0	
222 NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	0		0	0	
223 NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	0		0	0	
EMPLOYMENT, PENSIONS, ETC					
224 NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	24		405	44	
225 MALE			218	31	
226 FEMALE			187	13	
227 TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR			2,843,183	405,688	
228 COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES			1,401,689	298,000	
BENEFITS 8/					
229 NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR	0		0	0	
230 AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	0		0	0	
PENSIONS 8/					
231 NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	0		0	0	
232 AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	0		0	0	
233 PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	43,222		61,712	40,474	

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NOTE THIS COMPILATION INCLUDES DATA OF CARRIERS SUBJECT TO ALL THE COMMON CARRIER PROVISIONS OF THE COMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1934 AS AMENDED WHICH HAVE ANNUAL OPERATING REVENUES IN EXCESS OF \$1 000,000
 -- DETAIL ELEMENTS DO NOT NECESSARILY CORRESPOND TO TOTAL FOOTINGS DUE TO ROUNDING COMPUTATIONS

1/ THE INTERCOMPANY DUPLICATIONS BETWEEN THE BELL COMPANIES WITH RESPECT TO SECURITIES RECEIVABLES PAYABLES AND ITEMS OF INCOME AND EXPENSE EXCEPT IN MINOR INSTANCES, HAVE BEEN ELIMINATED IN THE ELIMINATION OF INTERCOMPANY SECURITY HOLDINGS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE AGGREGATE BOOK COST AS REPORTED BY THE CARRIERS OWNING SUCH SECURITIES AND THE REPORTED PAR OR STATED VALUE, INCLUDING ASCERTAINABLE DISCOUNTS AND PREMIUMS APPLICABLE THERETO, HAS BEEN APPLIED AS A NET REDUCTION OF UNAPPROPRIATED EARNED SURPLUS

2/ INCLUDES THE AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY ITS PRINCIPAL TELEPHONE SUBSIDIARIES AND TWO ASSOCIATED COMPANIES THE SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE COMPANY AND CINCINNATI BELL INC

3/ DOES NOT INCLUDE \$1 588,151 541 REPRESENTING PROPORTIONATE INTEREST IN THE NET ASSETS OF SUBSIDIARIES NOT CONSOLIDATED IN EXCESS OF BOOK COST OF THE INVESTMENTS IN SUCH SUBSIDIARIES WHICH IS ADDED TO BOOK COST OF INVESTMENTS AND TO SURPLUS IN CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS PUBLISHED BY THE BELL SYSTEM

4/ REFLECTS A REDUCTION OF \$2,507 152 ON ACCOUNT OF NETTING RECEIVABLES FROM AND PAYABLES TO CERTAIN AFFILIATED AND OTHER COMPANIES SHOWN SEPARATELY ON THE BOOKS OF THE TWO DEPARTMENTS

5/ DOES NOT INCLUDE \$138,414 678 PROPORTIONATE INTEREST IN EARNINGS (AFTER DIVIDENDS) OF SUBSIDIARIES NOT CONSOLIDATED WHICH IS INCLUDED IN OTHER INCOME IN CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENTS PUBLISHED BY THE BELL SYSTEM

6/ INCLUDES CREDIT ITEMS TELEPHONE FRANCHISE REQUIREMENTS AND EXPENSES CHARGED CONSTRUCTION

INCLUDES ONLY PHANTOM CIRCUIT ON TRANPOSED AERIAL WIRE MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT ON WIRE IN CABLE NOT AVAILABLE

8/ DATA WERE NOT REPORTED FOR NON BELL COMPANIES

9/ PARTLY ESTIMATED

10/ ALL THE BASE STATION TRANSMITTERS USED IN DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICE IN ONE MOBILE SERVICE AREA ARE CONSIDERED COLLECTIVELY AS ONE BASE STATION

11/ DOES NOT INCLUDE DATA FOR VARIOUS TYPES OF GROUP INSURANCE FINANCED JOINTLY BY THE COMPANIES AND THE PARTICIPATING EMPLOYEES DURING 1964 THE BELL COMPANIES ESTABLISHED TRUST FUNDS TO PROVIDE FOR CERTAIN DEATH BENEFITS TO BENEFICIARIES OF ACTIVE AND RETIRED EMPLOYEES BENEFITS PAID FROM THESE FUNDS IN 1970 ARE NOT REFLECTED IN THE AMOUNTS SHOWN

12/ ATTRIBUTABLE PRINCIPALLY TO INVESTMENT CREDITS ON PLANT AND EQUIPMENT PURCHASES OF BELL TELEPHONE LABORATORIES INC

13/ THE NUMBER OF LINES REPORTED FOR THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY INCLUDE THOSE OF THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF NEVADA

14/ THE MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY ENTRY FOR INVESTMENT AND THE ENTRIES FOR MISCELLANEOUS INCOME AND MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME OF ALL AMERICA CABLES AND RADIO INC HAVE PRINCIPALLY TO DO WITH OPERATIONS ALLEGEDLY OUTSIDE THE JURISDICTION OF THE COMMISSION BUT ARE UNDERSTOOD TO BE LARGELY CONCERNED WITH COMMUNICATIONS

15/ REVENUES ACCRUING TO THE PUERTO RICO TELEPHONE COMPANY AND THE VIRGIN ISLANDS TELEPHONE CORPORATION FROM OVERSEAS TRAFFIC ARE EXCLUDED FROM THE TOTAL COLUMNS SINCE THESE CARRIERS DO NOT OPERATE OVERSEAS TELEPHONE FACILITIES THE NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES HANDLED BY THESE CARRIERS IS NOT SHOWN BECAUSE SUCH MESSAGES ARE INCLUDED IN TRAFFIC DATA REPORTED BY THE PARTICIPATING OVERSEAS CARRIER THE AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY ALL AMERICA CABLES AND RADIO INC OR ITT COMMUNICATIONS INC - VIRGIN ISLANDS

16/ DIVIDENDS PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE NOT SHOWN BECAUSE EQUITY CAPITALIZATION AS STATED IN THE ACCOUNTS IS SO UNUSUAL AS TO PRODUCE MISLEADING RESULTS

17/ REPRESENTS WEIGHTED AVERAGE RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE

18/ THIS COMPANY PARTICIPATES IN WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE BUT HAS NOT DETERMINED AND SO CLASSIFIED THE RELATIVELY MINOR AMOUNTS OF REVENUE RECEIVED THEREFROM AND HAS INSTEAD CLASSIFIED THEM AS TELEPHONE MESSAGE TOLL REVENUES (LINE 115 ABOVE)

19/ THESE MESSAGES ARE INCLUDED IN THE TOTAL SHOWN FOR AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY AND EXCLUDED IN THE TOTAL NON BELL COMPANIES AND ALL COMPANIES COLUMNS TO AVOID DUPLICATION

20/ REPRESENTS COMPLETED CALLS ONLY

21/ DATA NOT AVAILABLE

22/ INCLUDES \$58,604 FOR ACCOUNT 100 7, TELEPHONE PLANT ADJUSTMENT

23/ TO AVOID DUPLICATION 5,365,062 MESSAGES BETWEEN HAWAII AND THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES HAVE BEEN EXCLUDED AS THESE MESSAGES ARE INCLUDED IN THE NUMBER OF CALLS SHOWN FOR THE AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY THE HAWAIIAN TELEPHONE COMPANY'S PORTION OF REVENUE FOR THESE MESSAGES AMOUNTED TO \$28,820,146

24/ ALL WESTCO EMPLOYEES ARE ON THE PAYROLL OF THE PARENT COMPANY THE WESTERN CAROLINA TELEPHONE CO

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TABLE 17 - STATISTICS OF SELECTED LARGE TELEPHONE CARRIERS NOT SUBJECT TO THE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS
OF THE COMMISSION, AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1972 AND FOR THE YEAR THEN ENDED

NO	ITEM	1 TOTAL	2 CAROLINA TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY	3 CENTRAL TELEPHONE COMPANY	4 CENTRAL TELEPHONE CO OF ILLINOIS
BALANCE SHEET--ASSETS					
COMMUNICATION PLANT					
1 TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	6,057,880,677	373,269,500	316,336,214	117,888,179	
2 TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	215,414,737	10,169,555	4,906,622	4,796,142	
3 PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	4,735,777	112,178	3,850	0	
4 TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	3,573,930	0	281,880	0	
5 SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	0	0	0	
6 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	6,281,605,121	383,551,233	321,528,566	122,684,321	
7 LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	1,125,978,438	86,706,462	55,630,529	24,035,552	
8 AMORTIZATION RESERVE	150,004	0	5,748	0	
9 EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	0	0	0	
10 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT- NET	5,155,476,679	296,844,770	265,892,289	98,648,769	
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11 INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	175,284,255	0	166,683,421	0	
12 ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	5,212,150	0	0	0	
13 MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	9,060,822	29,034	22,749	0	
14 OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	1,985,693	33,292	5,093	2	
15 TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	191,542,920	62,326	166,711,263	2	
CURRENT ASSETS					
16 CASH	35,326,488	2,869,589	3,081,245	1,736,594	
17 TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	2,500,000	0	0	0	
18 NOTES RECEIVABLE	459,035	0	0	0	
19 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS, AGENTS AND OTHERS	193,330,432	10,989,642	9,587,730	5,819,282	
20 MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	72,409,493	5,712,572	3,587,076	1,199,109	
21 ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	6,492,428	71,773	0	0	
22 TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	310,517,876	19,643,576	16,256,051	8,754,985	
23 OTHER ASSETS	0	0	0	0	
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24 PREPAID ACCOUNTS	14,413,717	374,520	279,531	140,275	
25 ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	43,547,497	1,447,961	5,725,292	1,065,457	
26 TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	57,961,214	1,822,481	6,004,823	1,205,732	
27 TOTAL ASSETS	5,715,498,689	318,373,153	454,864,426	108,609,488	
BALANCE SHEET--LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28 COMMON STOCK	1,542,003,162	64,923,300	143,946,590	40,466,354	
29 PREFERRED STOCK	178,665,556	0	39,991,748	0	
30 CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	34,221,441	0	0	0	
31 INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	158,453	0	0	0	
32 PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	128,552,366	41,232,393	0	0	
33 OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	28,989,037	0	0	0	
34 RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	0	0	0	0	
35 UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	431,789,237	36,084,028	48,107,048	5,508,183	
36 LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	1,145,185	0	0	0	
37 CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	2,592,301	0	0	0	
38 TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	2,340,641,767	142,239,721	232,045,386	45,974,537	
LONG-TERM DEBT					
FUNDED DEBT					
39 MORTGAGE BONDS	1,984,260,500	0	134,744,000	43,798,000	
40 DEBENTURES	440,259,800	141,950,000	46,050,000	0	
41 OTHER FUNDED DEBT	19,399,500	0	4,944,000	0	
42 TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	2,443,919,800	141,950,000	185,738,000	43,798,000	
43 ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	21,900,000	0	5,400,000	1,600,000	
44 ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	31,127,328	72,440	0	0	
45 TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	2,496,947,128	142,022,440	191,138,000	45,398,000	
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46 NOTES PAYABLE	385,094,367	6,135,000	0	0	
47 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	127,232,331	3,835,699	5,977,898	2,942,919	
48 TAXES ACCRUED	78,461,128	1,701,588	2,199,663	3,087,384	
49 OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	94,006,182	6,308,093	7,109,467	1,718,036	
50 TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	684,794,007	17,980,381	15,287,028	7,748,339	

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NO	ITEM	1 TOTAL	2 CAROLINA TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY	3 CENTRAL TELEPHONE COMPANY	4 CENTRAL TELEPHONE CO OF ILLINOIS
	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG TERM DEBT	1 125 195	176 993	3 669	1 689
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES--ACCEL TAX DEPREC	111 109 111	9 714 968	11 650 309	6 452 721
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	66 272 715	5 951 030	4 309 368	1 873 990
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	14 608 665	287 620	430 666	1 160 212
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	193 115 787	16 130 611	16 394 012	9 468 612
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	5 715 498 689	318 373 153	454 864 426	108 609 488
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	1,631 215 100	101 312 158	79 430 151	44 768 112
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	967 074 696	56 079 361	48 062 633	26 990 262
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	664 140 404	45 232 797	31 367 518	17 777 850
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	84 750 873	5 781 657	4 654 800	4 809 900
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED--ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	41 330 555	3 804 649	0	0
64	STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	1 532 670		300 000	331 000
65	PROPERTY TAXES	3 826 647		2 938 979	1 559 523
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	4 311 716		1 875 275	1 853 448
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	1 347 242		1 247 864	669 411
68	OTHER TAXES	17 073		763 001	22 097
69	TOTAL TAXES	285 264 215	20 621 654	11 779 919	9 245 379
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	156 296	0	0	0
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	23 448 595	1 617 544	1 779 200	125 200
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	355 583 890	22 993 599	17 808 399	8 407 271
	OTHER INCOME				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	5 968	0	0	2
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	18 367 891	942 784	1 840 606	205 561
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	2 613 594	44 570	2 041 393	27 764
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	17 651 807	2 836	16 261 579	506
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	38 639 261	990 190	20 143 578	233 833
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	1 083 040	116 376	742 347	2 816
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	393 140 111	23 867 413	38 694 324	8 638 288
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	149 587 513	9 748 085	11 968 554	2 668 667
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	20 592 411	34 631	586 614	123 791
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	885 811	43 086	98 801	17 248
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	171 065 736	9 825 803	12 653 969	2 809 706
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	222 074 376	14 041 610	26 040 355	5 828 582
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	3 615 250	827	2 092 269	0
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	298 652	1 258	0	0
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS--NET	444 166	220	0	0
88	NET INCOME	224 946 807	14 041 399	28 132 624	5 828 582
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	372 325 719	30 672 350	47 225 460	5 232 820
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	621 404	0	41 047	0
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	1 522 119	0	10 075	3 219
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERVES OR APPROPRIATIONS	596 371 812	44 713 749	75 389 056	11 058 183
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	164 582 575	8 629 721	27 282 008	5 550 000
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	431 789 237	36 084 028	48 107 048	5 508 183
	DIVIDENDS				
96	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
97	COMMON STOCK	155 169 151	8 629 721	24 500 000	5 550 000
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE		14 30	1	
98	PREFERRED STOCK	9 413 423	0	2 782 008	0
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE		2	8 24	

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NO	ITEM	1 TOTAL	2 CAROLINA TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY	3 CENTRAL TELEPHONE COMPANY	4 CENTRAL TELEPHONE CO OF ILLINOIS
	OPERATING REVENUES				
	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES				
	SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES				
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)		41,898,771	39,524,810	24,266,083
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0		0	0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES	794,012,695	41,898,771	39,524,810	24,266,083
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	15,900,861	717,244	938,814	649,687
104	SERVICE STATIONS	78,476	4,543	3,015	0
	LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
105	TELEPHONE		233,656	239,325	4,012
106	TELETYPEWRITER		0	38,915	98,037
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH		0	86,998	0
108	TELPAC		0	0	0*
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO		124,246	38,600	3,657
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO		51,239	37	0
111	OTHER SERVICES		20,451	159,964	33,856
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	9,986,857	429,591	563,839	139,562
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	8,961,100	0	0	0
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	828,939,989	43,050,150	41,030,478	25,055,332
	TO TOLL SERVICE REVENUES				
	MESSAGE TOLLS				
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	681,940,674	49,753,996	31,495,898	11,232,866
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	383,341	0	11,929	0
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	-41,218	0	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	0	0	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	682,282,797	49,753,996	31,507,827	11,232,866
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	19,985,541	988,045	1,493,185	1,701,256
	TO TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
121	TELEPHONE		3,016,791	1,184,091	373,311
122	TELETYPEWRITER		480,550	27,283	44,028
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH		-69,329	0	0
124	TELPAC		0	0	0
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO		40,017	6,997	4,025
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO		-102,152	0	-7
127	OTHER SERVICES		-22,407	230,379	147,430
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	32,829,197	3,343,470	1,448,750	568,787
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	798,418	0	4,170	5,822
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	735,895,953	54,085,512	34,453,932	13,508,731
	MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES				
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	263,323	6,799	14,427	6,282
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	0	0	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	66,041,703	3,051,058	3,878,857	1,200,122
134	RENT REVENUES	12,671,359	1,549,132	320,295	5,123,176
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	61,200	0	0	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	909,155	63,703	46,123	7,728
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	79,946,741	4,670,693	4,259,702	6,337,308
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	13,567,584	494,197	313,961	133,259
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	1,631,215,100	101,312,158	79,430,151	44,768,112
140	REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE		28,063,727	22,821,206	35,285,280
	OPERATING EXPENSES				
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	300,898,892	17,282,916	14,548,151	7,231,280
	DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES				
142	DEPRECIATION	285,968,153	17,590,098	14,901,128	6,677,155
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	397,953	207,183	0	0
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	14,897	0	0	0
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	6,188	0	2,438	0
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	286,387,191	17,797,280	14,903,566	6,677,155

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NO	ITEM	1 TOTAL	2 CAROLINA TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY	3 CENTRAL TELEPHONE COMPANY	4 CENTRAL TELEPHONE CO OF ILLINOIS
	TRAFFIC EXPENSES				
147	OPERATORS WAGES	90,162 734	8,015 199	5,309 078	2,524 211
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	23,784 893	1,069 015	1,495 652	868,963
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	113,947 626	9,084 214	6,804 730	3,393,174
	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES				
150	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	110,134 867	4,158 774	6,102 345	2,654 775
151		87,797 516	3,474 728	3,633 232	1,759 473
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES				
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	0	0	0
153	OPERATING RENTS	14,308,509	605,000	753,892	4,185,386
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	49,001 039	2,733,092	1,663,207	1,087,787
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	9,184 758	949,271	0	0
156	OTHER EXPENSES 3	4,585,701	-5,914	346,490	1,232
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	67,908,604	4,281 450	2,070 609	5,274 405
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	967,074,696	56,079 361	48,062 633	26,990,262
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	59.28	55.35	60.50	60.30
	COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE				
160	DEPRECIABLE ACCOUNTS		5.26	5.88	5.14
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS		5.23	5.82	5.10
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	0	0
	MILES OF WIRE CABLE				
163	AERIAL		1,371 822	1,240 437	142 149
164	UNDERGROUND		950 423	1,144 972	618 140
165	BURIED		2,111 173	576 251	129 980
166	SUBMARINE		11 983	0	0
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE		4,445 401	2,961 661	890,269
168	AERIAL WIRE		26 804	71,471	5,998
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE		4,472 205	3,033,131	896,267
170	MILES OF POLE LINE		3 773	5,931	1,084
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)		1 488	1,351	181
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT		43	40	71
	CARRIER CHANNEL				
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE		783 898	76 314	1,525
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH		36 571	0	0
175	MILES OF VIDEO		138	25	0
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE		0	1	6
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM		3,151	321	0
	CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
178	ELECTRONIC		0	0	0
179	MANUAL		0	0	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL		128	90	12
181	CROSS BAR DIAL		10	27	2
182	PANEL DIAL		0	0	0
183	OTHER DIAL		0	32	8
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	2,076	138	149	22
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
185	ELECTRONIC		0	0	0
186	MANUAL		0	0	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL		452,964	221,589	76,664
188	CROSS BAR DIAL		73,957	103,502	87,370
189	PANEL DIAL		0	0	0
190	OTHER DIAL		0	175,671	16,496
191	MOBILE		226	306	40

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NO	ITEM	1 TOTAL	2 CAROLINA TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY	3 CENTRAL TELEPHONE COMPANY	4 CENTRAL TELEPHONE CO OF ILLINOIS
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS				
192	MAIN	5,544,882	332,911	297,268	98,931
193	PBX	868,051	32,480	63,370	28,770
194	EXTENSION	2,760,960	161,756	140,430	52,869
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER				
195	BUSINESS		118,454	143,999	59,897
196	COIN		4,519	4,905	2,154
197	RESIDENCE		404,174	352,164	118,520
198	COMPANY TELEPHONES	9,173,894	527,147	501,068	180,571
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	31,480	27,415	2,411	0
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	299,032	978	1,590	122
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	9,223,553	555,540	505,069	180,693
202	WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES				
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE		16,608	10,970	2,224
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK		37,592	42,998	0
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES		531,934	482,813	176,200
	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 4/				
206	LOCAL CALLS	898,794,476	1,056,866,398	275,651,017	
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	1,690	2,189	1,564	
208	TOLL CALLS	71,903,558	55,057,374	24,155,960	
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	135	114	137	
	TELEGRAPH STATIONS				
210	PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER		0	0	0
211	PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER		0	0	0
212	DATA-PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER		0	0	0
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS		0	0	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS		0	0	0
	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE				
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING				
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES		0	0	0
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR		0	0	0
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING				
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR		0	0	0
	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE				
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR		0	0	0
	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS				
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES		0	0	0
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR		0	0	0
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES				
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 5/		0	16	2
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS		226	419	45
223	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS		0	0	0
	EMPLOYMENT, PENSIONS, ETC				
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER		4,248	3,881	1,642
225	MALE		2,046	1,994	906
226	FEMALE		2,202	1,887	736
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	32,252,369	32,284,401	15,007,357	
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	25,057,076	22,271,179	11,702,136	
	BENEFITS				
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR		596		
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR		255,243		
	PENSIONS				
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR		137	177	0
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR		301,020	19,346	0
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS		3,236,026	1,663,207	1,087,787

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NO	ITEM	5 COMMONWEALTH TELEPHONE COMPANY	6 FLORIDA TELEPHONE CORPORATION	7 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF CALIFORNIA	8 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF FLORIDA
BALANCE SHEET--ASSETS					
COMMUNICATION PLANT					
1 TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	76 856 940	131 406 454	1 844 377 781	783 843 778	
2 TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	2 259 025	15 919 177	43 303 498	50 092 653	
3 PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	65 161	52 096	1 582 559	1 808 111	
4 TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	49 599	0	0	0	
5 SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	0	0	0	
6 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	79 230 725	147 377 727	1 889 263 838	835 744 542	
7 LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	15 443 999	16 519 835	342 950 552	138 299 886	
8 AMORTIZATION RESERVE	0	0	0	0	
9 EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	0	0	0	
10 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--NET	63 786 726	130 857 892	1 546 313 286	697 444 656	
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11 INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	828 601	2,033 743	0	0	
12 ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	75 000	0	0	0	
13 MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	691 813	9 704	2 543 350	50 979	
14 OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	20 686	500	1,013 012	4 450	
15 TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	1 616 100	2 043 947	3 556 362	55 429	
CURRENT ASSETS					
16 CASH	1 235 758	2 907 172	7,023 032	1,805 046	
17 TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	0	0	0	2 500 000	
18 NOTES RECEIVABLE	44 758	0	31 540	262 810	
19 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS AGENTS AND OTHERS	2 601 924	5 922 111	63,188 332	24 489 793	
20 MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	607 561	0	22 623 798	11 018 775	
21 ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	15 371	4,009 591	505 946	91 193	
22 TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	4 505 372	12,838 874	93 372 648	40 167 617	
23 OTHER ASSETS	0	0	0	0	
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24 PREPAID ACCOUNTS	67 190	140 698	6 903 905	1 053 926	
25 ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	315 666	956 348	11,998 310	5 575 788	
26 TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	382 856	1,097 046	18,902 215	6 629 714	
27 TOTAL ASSETS	70,291,054	146,837 759	1 662,144 511	744 297 416	
BALANCE SHEET--LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28 COMMON STOCK	7,256 267	13,316 198	490,000,000	220,000,000	
29 PREFERRED STOCK	7 339 500	4 346 400	49 983 480	22,000 000	
30 CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	0	0	0	
31 INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	158 453	0	0	
32 PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	5 719 171	42 880 719	145 935	0	
33 OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	1 173 867	0	0	0	
34 RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	0	0	0	0	
35 UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	10 409 637	11 844 894	75 314 984	43,163 319	
36 LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	1 145 185	0	
37 CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	323 307	1 872 206	0	0	
38 TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	31 575 135	70,674 458	614,299 214	285 163 319	
LONG-TERM DEBT FUNDED DEBT					
39 MORTGAGE BONDS	25,608,000	51 737 000	702,500,000	272,000,000	
40 DEBENTURES	3 987 000	3,107 500	101 192,000	35 000 000	
41 OTHER FUNDED DEBT	0	447 500	0	0	
42 TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	29 595 000	55 292 000	803 692 000	307,000 000	
43 ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
44 ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	18 822	0	0	0	
45 TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	29 613 822	55,292 000	803,692 000	307 000 000	
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46 NOTES PAYABLE	4,300,000	10,100 000	113,807 000	82 646 500	
47 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	1 531 957	4 832 566	39 378 193	17 026 635	
48 TAXES ACCRUED	49 571	547 763	32 239 215	9 950 466	
49 OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	939 488	1 776 114	23 722 634	13 903 304	
50 TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	6 721 874	17 256 443	209 147 042	123 526 905	

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NO	ITEM	5 COMMONWEALTH TELEPHONE COMPANY	6 FLORIDA TELEPHONE CORPORATION	7 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF CALIFORNIA	8 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF FLORIDA
	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG-TERM DEBT	0	0	300,290	249,085
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES--ACCEL TAX DEPREC	819,311	1,189,033	24,250,734	14,241,554
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	950,778	2,323,658	7,904,982	12,999,703
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	610,134	102,167	2,550,249	1,116,850
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	2,380,223	3,614,858	35,006,255	28,607,192
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	70,291,054	146,837,759	1,662,144,511	744,297,416
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	18,336,384	29,068,440	516,700,219	210,782,843
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	10,277,936	16,531,712	311,324,786	123,708,403
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	8,058,448	12,536,728	205,375,433	87,074,440
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
61	RENT FDR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	609,703	1,807,889	26,890,862	11,387,777
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED--ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	491,936	0	13,679,000	8,280,458
64	STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	381,639	230,892	0	2,336,000
65	PROPERTY TAXES	144,070	1,042,300	46,006,543	8,521,493
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	606,156	320,000	0	2,160,339
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	198,353	545,120	7,318,247	2,443,979
68	OTHER TAXES	208,489	-35,879	4,893,970	1,399,154
69	TOTAL TAXES	2,640,346	3,910,322	98,788,622	36,529,200
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	5,800	0	0	0
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	233,834	0	6,469,273	3,688,790
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	5,190,068	8,626,406	100,117,538	46,856,450
	OTHER INCOME				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	0	0	0	0
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	0	775,533	3,499,047	4,328,837
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	128,874	18,807	75,583	139,054
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	149,932	191,324	12,231	123,636
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	278,806	985,664	3,566,861	4,591,527
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	68,755	71,580	270,612	268,281
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	5,400,119	9,540,490	103,433,787	51,179,696
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	1,870,156	3,241,219	49,914,217	17,417,708
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	306,779	430,638	3,503,248	4,914,734
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	19,285	41,236	240,291	114,752
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	2,196,220	3,713,093	53,657,756	22,447,194
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	3,203,899	5,827,397	49,776,031	28,732,502
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	0	0	525,092	0
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	0	2,794	99,395	0
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS--NET	0	0	106,000	0
88	NET INCOME	3,203,899	5,824,603	50,095,728	28,732,502
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	8,604,716	8,850,544	64,368,512	33,804,831
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	4,273	0	0
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERV OR APPROP	11,808,615	14,670,874	114,464,240	62,537,333
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	1,398,978	2,825,980	39,149,256	19,374,014
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	10,409,637	11,844,894	75,314,984	43,163,319
	DIVIDENDS				
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
96	COMMON STOCK	1,183,712	2,601,020	36,750,000	18,250,000
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	17 10	21 20	7 50	10 00
98	PREFERRED STOCK	215,266	224,960	2,399,256	1,124,014
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	6/ 4 38	5 10	6/ 4 80	6/ 5 11

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NO	ITEM	5 COMMONWEALTH TELEPHONE COMPANY	6 FLORIDA TELEPHONE CORPORATION	7 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF CALIFORNIA	8 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF FLORIDA
OPERATING REVENUES					
	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES				
	SUBSCRIBERS STATION REVENUES				
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	8,621 024	10 687 025	275,379,151	99 454 939
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS STATION REVENUES	8,621 024	10 687 025	275,379,151	99 454 939
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	174 803	262 224	6 490 759	2,315 213
104	SERVICE STATIONS	0	0	8 710	0
	LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
105	TELEPHONE	58,698	96,436	971 054	173,651
106	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	349 234	223 939
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	0	0	0
108	TELPAC	0	0	0	0
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION-AUDIO	0	0	25,163	0
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION-VIDEO	0	0	44 434	2,340
111	OTHER SERVICES	0	0	1 468,361	208,376
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	58,698	96,436	2,858,246	608 306
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	0	2 624	6 120,129	198 114
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	8,854 525	11 048 309	290,856,995	102 576 572
	TOLL SERVICE REVENUES				
	MESSAGE TOLLS				
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	8 275 128	15 731,183	186,857,275	97,660,646
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	0	39,082	0	0
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	0	0	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	8,275 128	15,770,265	186,857,275	97,660,646
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	126 382	608 220	2,004 298	7
	TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
121	TELEPHONE	357,588	321,011	5 581,901	3,189 120
122	TELETYPEWRITER	0	890	2 109,642	537,336
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	0	431,506	0
124	TELPAC	0	0	0	2,149,341
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION-AUDIO	0	904	18,749	76,762
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION-VIDEO	0	216	0	369,854
127	OTHER SERVICES	0	42,939	737,721	655,968
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	357,588	365,960	8,879,519	6,978 381
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	0	2,078
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	8,759,098	16,744,445	197,741,092	104,641,105
	MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES				
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	1,727	3,256	125 193	39 847
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	0	0	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	657 267	1,276,177	33,829,362	4,849 526
134	RENT REVENUES	105 517	123,791	986,559	630,686
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	60,000	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	2,108	4,462	243,679	117 134
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	766,619	1 407,686	35,244,793	5,637,193
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	43,858	132,000	7 142,661	2,072 027
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	18,336,384	29,068,440	516,700,219	210,782,843
	REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE			63,530,847	
	OPERATING EXPENSES				
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	3,235,054	4,994,200	97,185,202	40,494,950
	DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES				
142	DEPRECIATION	3,040,364	4,820,887	81,792,071	39,187,478
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	0	0	0	0
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	0	0	0
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	3,040,364	4,820,887	81,792,071	39,187,478

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NO	ITEM	5 COMMONWEALTH TELEPHONE COMPANY	6 FLORIOA TELEPHONE CORPORATION	7 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF CALIFORNIA	8 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF FLORIOA
	TRAFFIC EXPENSES				
147	OPERATORS' WAGES	544,264	2,747,061	25,308,773	12,262,393
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	163,887	308,443	7,305,819	2,870,705
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	708,151	3,055,504	32,614,592	15,133,098
	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES				
150	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	1,078,951	1,602,718	47,992,559	10,964,811
151		1,485,766	1,038,463	28,906,355	10,477,975
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES				
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	0	0	0
153	OPERATING RENTS	253,268	258,882	3,273,010	798,057
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	567,088	657,824	17,183,706	6,004,821
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	3,650,662	1,293,360
156	OTHER EXPENSES 3/	-90,706	103,234	-1,273,371	-646,147
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	729,650	1,019,940	22,834,007	7,450,091
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	10,277,936	16,531,712	311,324,786	123,708,403
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	56.05	56.87	60.25	58.69
	COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE				
160	DEPRECIABLE ACCOUNTS	4.57		4.84	5.78
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	4.54		4.76	5.75
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	0	0
	MILES OF WIRE CABLE				
163	AERIAL	796,856	110,628	4,506,671	1,335,579
164	UNDERGROUND	24,733	323,257	9,591,707	2,085,722
165	BURIED	66,326	610,322	704,747	3,467,434
166	SUBMARINE	0	1,481	1,666	36,621
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	887,914	1,045,688	14,804,791	6,925,356
168	AERIAL WIRE	14,035	28,372	25,579	7,345
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	901,949	1,074,060	14,830,370	6,932,701
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	4,294	5,134	8,969	3,346
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	18	773	9,534	3,789
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	74	0	0	2,062
	CARRIER CHANNELS				
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	19,480	134,018	245,612	887,300
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	0	2,473	0	15,208
175	MILES OF VIDEO	0	0	2	420
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	0	0	0	586
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	16	356	330	862
	CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
178	ELECTRONIC	0	2	0	2
179	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	55	15	163	71
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	9	18	0	1
182	PANEL DIAL	6	2	0	0
183	OTHER DIAL	3	0	0	0
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	73	37	163	74
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
185	ELECTRONIC	0	2,077	0	2,778
186	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	119,750	82,232	2,725,500	1,027,827
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	10,641	51,943	0	14,783
189	PANEL DIAL	3,287	7,119	0	0
190	OTHER DIAL	16,333	0	0	0
191	MOBILE	0	223	436	422

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NO	ITEM	5 COMMONWEALTH TELEPHONE COMPANY	6 FLORIDA TELEPHONE CORPORATION	7 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF CALIFORNIA	8 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF FLORIDA
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS				
192	MAIN	96 194	92 420	1 536 711	683 220
193	PBX	6 672	8 223	249 070	95 130
194	EXTENSION	47 145	42 951	940 155	267 460
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER				
195	BUSINESS	26 572	37 150	621 874	251 293
196	COIN	1 363	1 496	30 283	11 786
197	RESIDENCE	122 076	104 948	2 073 779	782 731
198	COMPANY TELEPHONES	150 011	143 594	2 725 936	1 045 810
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	0	0	131	0
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	0	0	8 066	1 373
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	150 011	143 594	2 734 133	1 047 183
202	WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES				
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	191	0	209 754	23 223
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	8 172	0	271 738	134 267
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	145 129	133 309	2 676 259	986 176
	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 4				
206	LOCAL CALLS		164 298 282	5 277 087 348	2 107 565 895
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE		1 232	1 972	2 137
208	TOLL CALLS	15 452 208	18 181 384	368 662 179	108 756 792
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	106	136	138	110
	TELEGRAPH STATIONS				
210	PRIVATE LINE - TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	2 126	727
211	PRIVATE LINE - MORSE AND OTHER	0	0	0	0
212	DATA-PHONE SERVICE - TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	0	2 126	727
	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE				
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING				
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING				
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE				
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS				
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	13 124
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	18 737
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES				
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE S	0	3	43	3
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	0	223	522	433
223	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	0	0	741	0
	EMPLOYMENT PENSIONS, ETC				
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	681	1 553	18 244	9 964
225	MALE	417	714	10 672	5 608
226	FEMALE	264	839	7 572	4 356
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	5 969 028	10 819 709	193 201 819	77 819 613
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	4 467 182	7 613 142	139 679 127	55 030 190
	BENEFITS				
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR				
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	47 476			
	PENSIONS				
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	0	24		286
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	0	18 946	692 117	385 654
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	659 879		22 308 156	8 098 191

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ND	ITEM	9 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF ILLINOIS	10 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF KENTUCKY	11 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF THE MIDWEST	12 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF PENNSYLVANIA 9/
BALANCE SHEET--ASSETS					
COMMUNICATION PLANT					
1 TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	413 718,574	196,558,837	133,470,645	254,895,135	
2 TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	11 839,546	4,334,081	3,978,442	12,018,233	
3 PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	94 288	173,913	150,298	333,460	
4 TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	343,417	182,731	1,290,635	167,882	
5 SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	0	0	0	
6 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	425,995,825	201,249,626	138,890,020	267,414,710	
7 LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	67,787,924	39,280,865	27,552,910	54,038,257	
8 AMORTIZATION RESERVE	0	0	17,625	0	
9 EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	0	0	0	
10 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--NET	358,207,901	161,968,761	111,319,485	213,376,453	
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11 INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	477,300	0	
12 ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
13 MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	61 222	32,956	40,726	18,453	
14 OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	225,160	117,001	18,738	49,875	
15 TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	286,382	149,957	536,764	68,328	
CURRENT ASSETS					
16 CASH	575 996	499 484	833,500	4,123,320	
17 TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	0	0	0	0	
18 NOTES RECEIVABLE	29,745	0	25,600	15,500	
19 ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS, AGENTS AND DTHRS	8,912,608	5,165,843	4,618,624	7,328,957	
20 MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	2,669,818	913,446	1,813,993	2,981,202	
21 ALL DTHER CURRENT ASSETS	118,140	613,241	66,820	185,775	
22 TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	12,306,307	7,192,014	7,358,537	14,634,754	
23 OTHER ASSETS	0	0	0	0	
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24 PREPAID ACCOUNTS	754,838	159,734	209,865	397,596	
25 ALL DTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	2,552,669	1,245,027	1,139,851	1,207,215	
26 TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	3,307,507	1,404,761	1,349,716	1,604,811	
27 TOTAL ASSETS	374,108,097	170,715,493	120,564,502	229,684,346	
BALANCE SHEET--LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28 COMMON STOCK	97,000,000	56,900,000	41,000,000	56,087,950	
29 PREFERRED STOCK	11,253,100	4,349,100	0	8,549,828	
30 CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	0	0	0	
31 INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
32 PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
33 OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	0	0	0	0	
34 RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	0	0	0	0	
35 UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	38,772,756	11,938,559	7,045,423	14,071,318	
36 LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0	
37 CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	0	0	0	0	
38 TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	147,025,856	73,187,659	48,045,423	78,709,096	
LONG-TERM DEBT					
FUNDED DEBT					
39 MORTGAGE BONDS	152,677,000	64,000,000	40,317,000	52,500,000	
40 DEBENTURES	21,273,000	6,625,000	0	16,000,000	
41 OTHER FUNDED DEBT	0	0	0	0	
42 TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	173,950,000	70,625,000	40,317,000	68,500,000	
43 ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0	
44 ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	0	0	0	0	
45 TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	173,950,000	70,625,000	40,317,000	68,500,000	
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46 NOTES PAYABLE	20,900,000	10,250,000	17,800,000	65,720,000	
47 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	6,615,563	3,044,291	3,648,903	4,184,721	
48 TAXES ACCRUED	5,781,786	3,626,360	2,457,338	1,378,592	
49 DTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	6,872,500	3,396,786	1,840,877	2,891,928	
50 TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	40,169,849	20,317,437	25,747,118	74,175,241	

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NO	ITEM	9 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF ILLINOIS	10 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF KENTUCKY	11 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF THE MIDWEST	12 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF PENNSYLVANIA
	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG TERM DEBT	152,903	159,930	0	9,445
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES-ACCEL TAX DEPREC	5,620,486	3,199,153	1,984,282	4,046,280
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	6,687,026	3,043,148	2,197,893	3,997,976
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	501,977	183,166	2,272,786	246,308
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	12,962,392	6,585,397	6,454,961	8,300,009
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	374,108,097	170,715,493	120,564,502	229,684,346
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	110,968,639	46,326,684	35,448,196	67,720,166
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	63,011,319	27,372,754	21,968,875	41,380,581
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	47,957,320	18,953,930	13,479,321	26,339,585
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	7,028,478	2,403,429	957,966	2,967,216
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED-ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	2,946,817	1,641,289	1,200,201	1,924,559
64	STATE COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	(	621,398	238,300	1,563,452
65	PROPERTY TAXES	(	2,013,000	2,244,434	577,963
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	(	0	261,422	2,338,171
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	(10,111,148	546,774	480,794	988,315
68	OTHER TAXES	(	105,927	74,794	713,928
69	TOTAL TAXES	20,086,443	7,331,817	5,457,911	11,073,604
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	26,496	0	0	0
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	1,992,330	579,108	656,047	927,032
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	25,905,043	11,043,005	7,365,363	14,338,949
	OTHER INCOME				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	0	0	24	0
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	1,304,223	488,170	473,521	699,336
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	12,825	25,431	1,342	5,392
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	- 694	63,479	-1,860	1,412
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	1,316,354	577,080	473,027	706,140
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	44,856	56,697	115,231	86,816
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	27,176,541	11,563,388	7,723,159	14,958,273
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	10,632,795	4,547,542	2,680,200	3,919,792
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	559,529	562,641	1,111,608	3,125,914
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	48,801	27,808	20,598	17,784
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	11,241,125	5,137,991	3,812,406	7,063,490
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	15,935,416	6,425,397	3,910,753	7,894,783
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	34,510	0	2,050	38,435
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	22,056	0	17,702	12,830
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS--NET	6,000	0	-1,216	13,910
88	NET INCOME	15,941,870	6,425,397	3,896,317	7,906,478
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	33,269,873	10,676,086	5,955,106	12,362,871
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	484
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERVES OR APPROPRIATIONS	49,211,743	17,101,483	9,851,423	20,268,865
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	10,438,987	5,162,924	2,806,000	6,197,547
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	38,772,756	11,938,559	7,045,423	14,071,318
	DIVIDENDS				
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
96	COMMON STOCK	9,894,000	4,940,000	2,806,000	5,833,934
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	10,20	10,00	8,60	10,40
98	PREFERRED STOCK	544,987	222,924	0	363,613
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	6 4 81	6 5 09	6 4 25	

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NO	ITEM	9 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF ILLINOIS	10 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF KENTUCKY	11 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF THE MIDWEST	12 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF PENNSYLVANIA 9
OPERATING REVENUES					
LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES					
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)		24,501,536	16,929,477	35,254,561
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0		0	0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES	46,851,308	24,501,536	16,929,477	35,254,561
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	403,171	382,534	134,618	643,267
104	SERVICE STATIONS	0	0	20,454	102
LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
105	TELEPHONE		15,813	9,381	86,412
106	TELETYPEWRITER		19,964	21,411	20,503
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH		38,015	0	19,847
108	TELPAC	0	0	0	0
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO		35,929	23,392	3,926
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO		0	0	76,754
111	OTHER SERVICES		241,778	59,929	287,582
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	274,773	351,499	114,113	495,024
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	0	11,229	83,717	2,305,475
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	47,529,252	25,246,798	17,282,379	38,698,429
TOLL SERVICE REVENUES					
MESSAGE TOLLS					
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	58,121,658	18,451,869	16,030,350	23,153,478
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	787	0	-155	0
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	-41,389	7	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	0	0	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	58,081,056	18,451,876	16,030,195	23,153,478
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	1,816,399	1,167,411	1,309,996	1,946,079
TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
121	TELEPHONE		461,675	345,094	730,670
122	TELETYPEWRITER		104,259	6,802	285,615
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH		4,058	0	28,039
124	TELPAC	0	0	0	3,722
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO		41,311	8,841	41,397
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO		286,894	13,738	17,784
127	OTHER SERVICES		31	2,601	421,781
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	1,784,561	898,228	377,076	1,529,008
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	202	0	0	744,280
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	61,682,218	20,517,515	17,717,267	27,372,845
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES					
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	27,447	6,966	1,409	8,892
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	0	0	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	1,963,929	925,148	522,881	1,314,997
134	RENT REVENUES	526,224	132,869	133,160	439,394
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	0	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	39,569	39,108	29,600	73,637
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	2,557,169	1,104,091	687,050	1,836,920
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	800,000	541,720	238,500	188,028
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	110,968,639	46,326,684	35,448,196	67,720,166
140	REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE	19,429,804	10,027,603		12,038,609
OPERATING EXPENSES					
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	20,036,366	7,567,130	6,756,046	14,440,629
DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES					
142	DEPRECIATION	20,725,189	10,370,000	6,186,662	11,335,630
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	0	0	0	2,100
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	0	0	1,277	0
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION	0	3,097	0	0
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	20,725,189	10,373,097	6,187,939	11,337,730

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	TRAFFIC EXPENSES				
147	OPERATORS WAGES	5 040 284	2 771 046	1 800 654	3 754 442
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	1 670 958	447 353	570 581	1 334 411
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	6 711 242	3 218 399	2 371 235	5 088 853
	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES	5 320 138	1 996 898	2 237 680	3 084 217
151	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	6 826 589	2 354 081	2 659 344	4 915 250
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	0	0	0	0
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	345 712	582 960	284 862	363 200
153	OPERATING RENTS	3 005 225	1 096 653	1 223 997	1 969 035
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	779 926	312 396	243 841	478 456
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	739 068	128 860	3 931	296 789
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	3 391 795	1 863 149	1 756 631	2 513 902
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	63 011 319	27 372 754	21 968 875	41 380 581
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	56.78	59.09	61.97	61.11
	COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE				
160	DEPRECIABLE ACCOUNTS		5.89	5.38	4.87
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS		5.85	5.34	4.82
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	0	0
	MILES OF WIRE CABLE				
163	AERIAL	1 257 792	956 505	420 297	1 009 635
164	UNDERGROUND	350 330	700 775	278 344	748 920
165	BURIED	1 090 746	147 366	216 124	412 078
166	SUBMARINE	2 042	0	0	0
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	2 700 910	1 804 646	914 765	2 170 633
168	AERIAL WIRE	28 728	20,436	42 305	25 176
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	2 729 638	1 825,082	957 070	2 195 809
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	10 930	3 157	16 210	5 001
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	338	652	219	1 308
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	209	30	0	645
	CARRIER CHANNEL				
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	251,448	63 749	25 004	65 899
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	8 302	1 656	14	1 348
175	MILES OF VIDEO	28	333	0	14
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	0	0	6	28
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	588	465	67	6
	CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
178	ELECTRONIC	1	1	2	1
179	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	255	43	86	67
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	0	0	64	0
182	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	0
183	OTHER DIAL	68	14	54	3
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	324	58	206	71
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
185	ELECTRONIC		1 230	3 602	876
186	MANUAL		0	0	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	642 331	296 449	187 913	452 743
188	CROSS BAR DIAL		0	55 952	0
189	PANEL DIAL		0	0	0
190	OTHER DIAL	38 735	8 263	15 768	15 616
191	MOBILE	272	135	161	86

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	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS				
192	MAIN	403,127	194,550	178,392	287,412
193	PBX	56,014	29,197	15,201	47,311
194	EXTENSION	223,313	82,330	69,803	134,598
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER				
195	BUSINESS		79,670	62,075	109,376
196	COIN		2,851	1,896	3,953
197	RESIDENCE		223,556	199,425	355,992
198	COMPANY TELEPHONES	682,454	306,077	263,396	469,321
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	0	0	1,130	6
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	325	547	1,385	889
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	682,779	306,624	265,911	470,216
202	WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES				
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	19,761	12,753	5,849	4,947
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	47,016	29,878	13,792	40,723
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	662,928	297,335	257,113	459,197
	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 4/				
206	LOCAL CALLS	1,051,997,857	759,896,949	435,404,091	932,042,471
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	1,587	2,556	1,693	2,030
208	TOLL CALLS	65,289,109	39,821,779	22,631,648	48,068,067
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	98	134	88	105
	TELEGRAPH STATIONS				
210	PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER	156	119	0	0
211	PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER	0	0	0	0
212	DATA-PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER	215	0	0	0
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	371	119	0	0
	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE				
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING				
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING				
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE				
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS				
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES		0	0	0
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR		0	0	0
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES				
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 5/	21	0	15	0
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	281	137	184	203
223	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	472	173	104	434
	EMPLOYMENT, PENSIONS, ETC				
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	4,394	2,102	1,639	3,260
225	MALE		1,134	880	1,846
226	FEMALE		968	759	1,414
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	36,611,097	18,640,434	12,216,894	27,478,717
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	28,034,850	10,879,899	9,023,964	18,917,256
	BENEFITS				
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR		785		569
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	355,477	232,141	511,832	232,136
	PENSIONS				
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR		131	164	215
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR		117,257	250,251	183,745
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	4,070,789	1,597,916	1,556,837	2,585,900

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NO	ITEM	13 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF WISCONSIN	14 LINCOLN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY	15 NORTHERN OHIO TELEPHONE COMPANY	16 ROCHESTER TELEPHONE CORPORATION
BALANCE SHEET- ASSETS					
COMMUNICATION PLANT					
1	TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	270 398,971	131,000,793	129,253,837	308,056,661
2	TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	6,154,808	1,186,839	6,638,017	8,141,715
3	PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	28 194	0	0	0
4	TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	1,211,082	0	46,726
5	SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
6	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	276 581 974	133,398,714	135,891,854	316,245,102
7	LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	44 838 581	40,345,640	22,108,619	56,893,086
8	AMORTIZATION RESERVE	0	60,554	0	7,398
9	EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	0	0	0
10	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--NET	231,743,393	92,992,520	113,783,235	259,344,618
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11	INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	3,125,000	0	0
12	ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	3,096,525	0	0
13	MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	6 109	246,853	0	85
14	OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	100,148	12,909	62,333	200,000
15	TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	106,257	6,481,288	62,333	200,085
CURRENT ASSETS					
16	CASH	1,698,621	1,073,133	1,709,855	733,942
17	TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	0	0	0	0
18	NOTES RECEIVABLE	33 500	0	15,582	0
19	ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS, AGENTS AND OTHERS	5 568,017	3,360,425	3,986,217	12,113,336
20	MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	5 689,954	818,263	432,833	2,490,889
21	ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	354,286	20,106	69,420	39,240
22	TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	13,344,378	5,271,926	6,213,907	15,377,407
23	OTHER ASSETS	0	0	0	0
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24	PREPAID ACCOUNTS	157,548	57,773	339,764	1,969,081
25	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	3,556,878	817,278	608,832	1,457,168
26	TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	3,714,426	875,052	948,596	3,426,249
27	TOTAL ASSETS	248,908,454	105,620,787	121,008,071	278,348,359
BALANCE SHEET--LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28	COMMON STOCK	95,000,000	9,073,137	40,000,000	21,140,600
29	PREFERRED STOCK	3,352,400	4,500,000	0	20,000,000
30	CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	0	0	34,221,441
31	INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0
32	PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	7,605,688	0	0
33	OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	0	0	0	0
34	RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	0	0	0	0
35	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	9,917,705	20,211,881	8,103,806	52,498,714
36	LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0
37	CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	0	0	0	118,986
38	TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	108,270,105	41,390,707	48,103,806	127,741,769
LONG-TERM DEBT					
FUNDED DEBT					
39	MORTGAGE BONDS	90,375,000	40,450,000	24,900,000	88,738,000
40	DEBENTURES	5,865,000	4,535,300	0	34,795,000
41	OTHER FUNDED DEBT	0	0	0	0
42	TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	96,240,000	44,985,300	24,900,000	123,533,000
43	ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	0	0	0
44	ALL OTHER LONG TERM DEBT	0	980,000	30,000,000	0
45	TOTAL LONG TERM DEBT	96,240,000	45,965,300	54,900,000	123,533,000
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46	NOTES PAYABLE	23,975,000	6,630,000	3,900,000	8,900,000
47	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	7,159,185	4,378,315	3,214,131	8,723,945
48	TAXES ACCRUED	4,739,604	2,004,124	4,605,992	1,718,472
49	OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	6,179,486	1,617,914	1,848,083	6,205,685
50	TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	42,053,275	14,630,353	13,568,206	25,548,102

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NO	ITEM	13 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF WISCONSIN	14 LINCOLN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY	15 NORTHERN OHIO TELEPHONE COMPANY	16 ROCHESTER TELEPHONE CORPORATION
	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG-TERM DEBT	3,643	38,942	0	25,573
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES--ACCEL TAX DEPREC	0	1,559,975	2,202,780	985,000
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	2,055,739	1,844,157	2,125,153	0
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	285,692	191,353	108,126	514,915
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	2,345,074	3,634,427	4,436,059	1,525,488
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	248,908,454	105,620,787	121,008,071	278,348,359
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	59,248,459	37,176,375	34,079,863	89,502,368
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	37,404,315	22,209,595	19,255,895	54,775,044
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	21,844,144	14,966,780	14,823,968	34,727,324
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	2,086,296	2,148,660	987,000	1,472,000
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED--ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	0	950,246	1,468,000	969,000
64	STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	403,670	251,272	0	0
65	PROPERTY TAXES	827	2,212,707	2,470,000	0
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	3,738,113	255,176	966,956	575,000
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	593,749	561,832	419,558	1,171,969
68	OTHER TAXES	55,600	762	23,181	9,736,679
69	TOTAL TAXES	6,878,255	6,380,654	6,334,695	13,924,648
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	0	0	0	124,000
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	1,244,760	779,980	656,278	0
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	13,721,129	7,806,146	7,832,995	20,926,676
	OTHER INCOME				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	49	443	0	5,450
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	463,644	87,613	606,594	151,879
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	887	765	6,611	7,182
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	22	37,911	- 900	449
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	464,602	126,732	612,305	164,960
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	22,935	115,298	16,837	132,143
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	14,162,796	7,817,580	8,428,463	20,959,493
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	5,811,500	2,530,553	1,224,625	6,399,570
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	1,077,154	251,243	2,572,421	235,211
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	43,276	28,485	17,400	33,933
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	6,931,930	2,810,281	3,814,446	6,668,714
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	7,230,866	5,007,300	4,614,017	14,290,779
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	404,245	293,810	0	108,115
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	16,104	0	0	126,513
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS--NET	200,675	96,957	0	-24,000
88	NET INCOME	7,418,332	5,204,152	4,614,017	14,296,381
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	8,838,269	17,288,384	6,739,789	44,957,979
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	34,787	0	0
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	35,143
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERVES OR APPROPRIATIONS	16,256,600	22,527,323	11,353,806	59,219,217
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	6,338,895	2,315,442	3,250,000	6,720,503
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	9,917,705	20,211,881	8,103,806	52,498,714
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
96	COMMON STOCK	6,175,000	2,090,442	3,250,000	5,708,003
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	6 50	23 04	10 00	27 00
98	PREFERRED STOCK	163,895	225,000	0	1,012,500
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	6/ 4 89	5 00	6/ 5 06	

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NO	ITEM	13 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF WISCONSIN	14 LINCOLN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY	15 NORTHERN OHIO TELEPHONE COMPANY	16 ROCHESTER TELEPHONE CORPORATION
	OPERATING REVENUES				
	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES				
	SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES				
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)		16 891 285		47 243 676
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0			0
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES	28 001 290	16,891,285	13,518 368	47,243,676
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	237 378	213,974	132 626	1 116,109
104	SERVICE STATIONS	7 434	2,237	1 912	0
	LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
105	TELEPHONE	58 025	63,718	53 101	1 993 305
106	TELETYPEWRITER	13,092	55,530	0	(
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	0	0	(
108	TELPAC	0	0	0	257 206
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION-AUDIO	14,522	11,980	32 722	(
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION-VIDEO	0	253	795	(
111	OTHER SERVICES	22,800	125,572	3 139	(
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	108,439	257 053	89 757	2 250,511
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	6,239	0	80,828	0
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	28 360,780	17,364 549	13,823 491	50 610,296
	TOLL SERVICE REVENUES				
	MESSAGE TOLLS				
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	27 086 197	16,273 219	17,305 245	32 384 505
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	64	96,342	142 359	62,688
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	164	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	0	0	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	27,086,261	16,369 725	17 447 604	32 447,193
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	1,765,052	622 175	837,044	1,721 661
	TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
121	TELEPHONE	1,154,346	632 333	815 694	203,108
122	TELETYPEWRITER	5,901	147,323	416 216	(
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	25,134	25 431	0	(
124	TELPAC	576	0	0	1,883
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION-AUDIO	273	33,104	2 252	(
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION-VIDEO	0	201,757	255	(
127	OTHER SERVICES	47,773	30,084	22 888	(
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	1,234,003	1 070,031	1,257,305	204 991
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	-25	0	0	41 891
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	30,085,292	18,061,931	19,541,953	34,415,736
	MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES				
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	3 585	2 845	0	3 292
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	0	0	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	937,909	1,747 421	724 089	4 115,417
134	RENT REVENUES	192 173	90,092	155 723	547 636
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	0	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	64 720	10,697	5 607	93 685
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	1,198 388	1,851,056	885 419	4 760,030
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	396,000	101 161	171,000	283 694
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	59 248 459	37,176,375	34,079 863	89 502 368
	OPERATING EXPENSES				
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	10,275,885	6 779 759	6,426,664	16 098 723
	OEPRECIPATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES				
142	OEPRECIPATION	16 223,658	6 360,650	4 956 196	16 849 464
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	0	0	0	0
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUIS ADJUSTMENT	653	0	0	0
146	TOTAL OEPRECIPATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	16 224 311	6 360 650	4,956 196	16 849 464

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NO	ITEM	13 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF WISCONSIN	14 LINCOLN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY	15 NORTHERN OHIO TELEPHONE COMPANY	16 ROCHESTER TELEPHONE CORPORATION
	TRAFFIC EXPENSES				
147	OPERATORS' WAGES	1,594,554	2,381,591	2,291,554	3,686,340
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	820,538	439,060	374,681	1,385,681
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	2,415,092	2,820,651	2,666,235	5,072,021
	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES	2,872,762	2,391,734	1,471,534	6,707,772
151	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	3,634,877	2,002,082	2,324,493	5,614,517
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES				
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	0	0	0
153	OPERATING RENTS	462,380	177,256	66,287	513,120
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	1,444,553	1,690,334	972,333	3,935,928
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	393,244	0	229,384	0
156	OTHER EXPENSES 3/	318,789	-12,871	142,769	-16,501
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	1,981,388	1,854,718	1,410,773	4,432,547
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	37,404,315	22,209,595	19,255,895	54,775,044
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	63.13	59.74	56.50	61.20
	COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE				
160	DEPRECIABLE ACCOUNTS		5.38	4.53	5.35
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS		5.35	4.23	5.33
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	0	0
	MILES OF WIRE CABLE				
163	AERIAL	647,021	308,451		1,038,827
164	UNDERGROUND	255,140	292,599		1,847,937
165	BURIED	1,353,041	253,137		251,264
166	SUBMARINE	13,748	0		1
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	2,268,950	854,187	0	3,138,029
168	AERIAL WIRE	41,570	50,516	23,540	7,663
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	2,310,520	904,703	23,540	3,145,692
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	9,673	10,640	5,798	4,598
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	553	354	185	2,267
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	0	764	698	277
	CARRIER CHANNEL				
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	114,078	163,743		71,277
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	1,901	775	794	0
175	MILES OF VIDEO	0	153		0
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	0	0	0	0
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM		392	57	0
	CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
178	ELECTRONIC	4	1	0	0
179	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	147	138	74	22
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	0	0	0	48
182	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	3
183	OTHER DIAL	45	0	0	6
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	196	139	74	79
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
185	ELECTRONIC	4,569	1,083	0	0
186	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	322,358	238,306	220,332	53,720
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	0	0	0	462,257
189	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	4,905
190	OTHER DIAL	25,838	0	0	14,131
191	MOBILE	8	360	0	70

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NO	ITEM	13 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF WISCONSIN	14 LINCOLN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY	15 NORTHERN OHIO TELEPHONE COMPANY	16 ROCHESTER TELEPHONE CORPORATION
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS				
192	MAIN	231 427	147 518	142 132	282 302
193	PBX	20 530	23 382	19 606	102 061
194	EXTENSION	100 816	68 849	58 594	150 720
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER				
195	BUSINESS	75 580	59 614	54 035	161 400
196	COIN	2 979	2 245	1 794	2 381
197	RESIDENCE	274 214	177 890	164 503	371 302
	198 COMPANY TELEPHONES	352 773	239 749	220 332	535 083
	199 SERVICE TELEPHONES	170	99	0	0
	200 PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	280	733	649	1 106
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	353 223	240 581	220 981	536 189
	202 WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES				
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	15 375	12 073		16 331
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK		31 478		34 424
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES		233 859	212 526	529 786
	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 4				
206	LOCAL CALLS	555 396 132	359 477 988	341 841 888	774 868 282
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	1 626	1 537	1 608	1 463
208	TOLL CALLS	27 539 919	10 / 17 335 699	41 040 834	51 263 685
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	81	74	193	97
	TELEGRAPH STATIONS				
210	PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER		0		0
211	PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER		0		0
212	DATA-PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER		0		0
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS		0		0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS		0		0
	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE				
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING				
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0		0
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0		0
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING				
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0		0
	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE				
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0		0
	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS				
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0		281
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0		547
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES				
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 5	20	14		1
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	148	364		65
223	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	110	760		0
	EMPLOYMENT PENSIONS ETC				
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	2 254	1 774	1 565	3 320
225	MALE	1 463	922	820	1 838
226	FEMALE	791	852	745	1 482
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	20 322 671	14 478 013	10 665 968	36 130 759
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	11 920 001	11 582 410	7 243 859	25 609 015
	BENEFITS				
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR				6 390
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	298 549	440 645		2 031 481
	PENSIONS				
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	216	323		599
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	243 419	706 784	14 182	1 551 861
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	2 451 558	2 018 553	1 318 873	5 849 628

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NO	ITEM	17 SOUTHEASTERN TELEPHONE COMPANY	18 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF FLORIDA	19 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF MISSOURI	20 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF PENNSYLVANIA
BALANCE SHEET- ASSETS					
1	COMMUNICATION PLANT				
1	TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	115,470,236	138,197,778	76,877,098	161,842,024
2	TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	2,244,930	8,192,383	6,211,510	10,719,775
3	PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	0	251,602	80,006	0
4	TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	0	14,254	-14,276
5	SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
6	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	117,715,166	146,641,763	83,182,868	172,547,523
7	LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	10,836,449	23,263,770	11,916,076	33,838,479
8	AMORTIZATION RESERVE	0	46,011	12,668	0
9	EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0	0	0	0
10	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--NET	106,878,717	123,331,982	71,254,124	138,709,044
INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS					
11	INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	1,089,015	0	0	0
12	ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0	2,040,625	0	0
13	MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	0	0	0	5,306,788
14	OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	85,500	499	29,995	6,500
15	TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	1,174,515	2,041,124	29,995	5,313,288
CURRENT ASSETS					
16	CASH	611,759	202,556	621,173	1,108,000
17	TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	0	0	0	0
18	NOTES RECEIVABLE	0	0	0	0
19	ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS, AGENTS AND OTHERS	4,103,661	4,985,053	2,306,188	5,148,519
20	MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	1,098,698	2,622,437	1,655,174	3,115,191
21	ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	0	17,576	150,288	163,662
22	TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	5,814,118	7,827,622	4,732,823	9,535,372
23	OTHER ASSETS	0	0	0	0
PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES					
24	PREPAID ACCOUNTS	122,115	81,673	37,827	654,669
25	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	938,897	674,569	673,067	1,130,756
26	TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	1,061,012	756,242	710,894	1,785,425
27	TOTAL ASSETS	114,928,362	133,956,970	76,727,836	155,343,129
BALANCE SHEET--LIABILITIES					
CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS					
28	COMMON STOCK	47,940,434	24,315	20,804,000	43,899,500
29	PREFERRED STOCK	0	0	0	3,000,000
30	CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0	0	0	0
31	INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0
32	PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	28,985,685	1,982,775	0
33	OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	0	20,897,859	0	6,917,311
34	RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	0	0	0	0
35	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	3,231,979	8,265,563	8,300,087	17,022,832
36	LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0	0	0	0
37	CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	0	0	16,619	261,183
38	TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	51,172,413	58,173,422	31,070,243	70,578,460
LONG-TERM DEBT					
FUNDDED DEBT					
39	MORTGAGE BONDS	21,262,000	62,205,000	29,934,500	70,886,000
40	DEBENTURES	19,880,000	0	0	0
41	OTHER FUNDED DEBT	0	0	8,000	0
42	TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	41,142,000	62,205,000	29,942,500	70,886,000
43	ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	8,000,000	0	1,900,000	0
44	ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	0	56,066	0	0
45	TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	49,142,000	62,261,066	31,842,500	70,886,000
CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES					
46	NOTES PAYABLE	0	30,867	10,000,000	0
47	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	906,446	3,951,022	1,589,233	3,133,498
48	TAXES ACCRUED	932,115	1,070,070	-553,967	614,083
49	OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	1,836,684	1,740,409	1,027,337	1,684,141
50	TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	3,675,245	6,792,368	12,062,603	5,431,722

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TABLE 17 - STATISTICS OF SELECTED LARGE TELEPHONE CARRIERS NOT SUBJECT TO THE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS OF THE COMMISSION AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1972 AND FOR THE YEAR THEN ENDED--CONTINUED

NO	ITEM	17 SOUTHEASTERN TELEPHONE COMPANY	18 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF FLORIOA	19 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF MISSOURI	20 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF PENNSYLVANIA
	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG TERM DEBT	0	210	0	0
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES ACCEL TAX DEPREC	8 825 438	4 492 702	1 114 922	2 878 425
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	2 061 766	2 141 695	181 103	2 285 550
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	51 500	95 507	456 465	3 282 972
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	10 938 704	6 730 114	1 752 490	8 446 947
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	114 928 362	133 956 970	76 727 836	155 343 129
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	28 197 229	41 375 963	19 685 644	40 306 105
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	16 907 661	22 349 545	12 113 871	22 583 636
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	11 289 568	19 026 418	7 571 773	17 722 469
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0	0	0	0
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	1 663 200	3 422 155	175 522	1 882 163
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED-ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	0	1 731 108	827 920	1 415 372
64	STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	204 780	666 285	137 826	1 052 080
65	PROPERTY TAXES	1 076 740	744 210	990 605	194 763
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	334 742	403 558	221 132	1 287 259
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	509 091	493 028	272 610	531 995
68	OTHER TAXES	89 196	100 060	0	595 453
69	TOTAL TAXES	3 877 749	7 560 404	2 625 615	6 959 085
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	0	0	0	0
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS- NET	865 500	695 686	368 123	440 010
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	6 546 319	10 770 328	4 578 035	10 323 374
	OTHER INCOME				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	0	0	0	0
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	938 574	387 872	475 448	527 820
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	47 040	8 338	24	21 712
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	67 645	0	300	613 580
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	1 053 259	396 210	475 772	1 163 112
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	1 639	27 373	35 757	361 908
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	7 597 939	11 139 165	5 018 050	11 124 578
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	2 620 761	3 796 360	2 232 382	4 331 152
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	664 062	74 536	72 989	166 966
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	20 472	32 770	14 901	0
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	3 305 295	3 903 666	2 320 272	4 498 118
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	4 292 644	7 235 499	2 697 778	6 626 460
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	12 621	95 160	0	0
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	0	0	0	0
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS NET	0	46 060	0	0
88	NET INCOME	4 305 265	7 284 599	2 697 778	6 626 460
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	2 881 512	4 848 018	7 566 205	15 007 741
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	545 570	0	0	0
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	368	0	0	0
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERVES OR APPROPRIATIONS	7 731 979	12 132 617	10 263 983	21 634 201
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	0	0	0	0
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	4 500 000	3 867 054	1 963 896	4 611 369
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	3 231 979	8 265 563	8 300 087	17 022 832
	DIVIDENDS				
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
96	COMMON STOCK	4 500,000	3 867 054	1 963 896	4 476 369
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	1	11	9 44	10 20
98	PREFERRED STOCK	0	0	0	135 000
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE				4 50

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NO	ITEM	17 SOUTHEASTERN TELEPHONE COMPANY	18 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF FLORIOA	19 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF MISSOURI	20 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF PENNSYLVANIA
	OPERATING REVENUES				
	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES				
	SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES				
100	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	12,227,027	14,517,570	7,728,237	19,526,228
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0	51,439	0	1,353
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS' STATION REVENUES	12,227,027	14,569,009	7,728,237	19,527,581
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	181,649	294,078	112,220	271,854
104	SERVICE STATIONS	9,588	0	1,150	0
	LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
105	TELEPHONE	32,210	0	21,362	761,052
106	TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	44,915	4,182
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	12,546	0	3,821	0
108	TELPAK	0	0	0	♦ 0
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	26,961	0	10,755	9,389
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	0	0	0	0
111	OTHER SERVICES	31,216	77,836	5,503	252
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	102,933	77,836	86,356	774,875
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	0	152,745
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	12,521,197	14,940,923	7,927,963	20,727,055
	TOLL SERVICE REVENUES				
	MESSAGE TOLLS				
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	12,210,099	24,438,062	10,610,156	17,233,628
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	6,006	0	7,460	0
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	0
118	TELEGRAM	0	0	0	0
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	12,216,105	24,438,062	10,617,616	17,233,628
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	1,166,951	87	84,673	356,718
	TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES				
121	TELEPHONE	703,485	0	226,976	531,497
122	TELETYPEWRITER	84,134	0	107,539	4,334
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0	0	10,461	0
124	TELPAK	0	0	0	0
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	16,236	0	11,508	2,442
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	53,781	0	0	0
127	OTHER SERVICES	213,814	409,090	11,354	108
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	1,071,450	409,090	367,838	538,381
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	0	0	0	0
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	14,454,506	24,847,152	11,070,127	18,128,727
	MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES				
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	5,258	0	0	2,715
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0	0	0	0
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	1,065,406	1,568,049	521,469	1,217,408
134	RENT REVENUES	259,570	148,307	237,338	308,985
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	0	1,200	0
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	3,041	27,750	17,559	29,345
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	1,333,275	1,744,106	777,566	1,558,453
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	111,749	156,219	90,012	108,130
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	28,197,229	41,375,963	19,685,644	40,306,105
	OPERATING EXPENSES				
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	5,618,272	7,353,388	3,078,444	7,089,666
	DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES				
142	DEPRECIATION	4,302,698	6,912,397	3,338,287	7,169,542
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	0	0	89,916	0
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	0	13,620	0	0
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0	0	0	0
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	4,302,698	6,926,017	3,428,203	7,169,542

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NO	ITEM	17 SOUTHEASTERN TELEPHONE COMPANY	18 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF FLORIDA	19 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF MISSOURI	20 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF PENNSYLVANIA
	TRAFFIC EXPENSES				
147	OPERATORS WAGES	2 581 396	2 649 765	2 022 066	1 511 899
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	572 359	550 095	415 510	625 532
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	3 153 755	3 199 860	2 437 576	2 137 431
	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES				
150	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	2 130 458	2 233 873	1 214 044	2 377 076
151		977 969	1 568 421	1 226 321	2 049 183
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES				
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	0	0	0
153	OPERATING RENTS	238 498	255 617	150 526	348 507
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	550 081	642 730	649 729	1 474 429
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0	313 318	176 731	364 168
156	OTHER EXPENSES 3	64 070	143 679	247 703	426 366
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	724 509	1 067 986	729 283	1 760 738
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	16 907 661	22 349 545	12 113 871	22 583 636
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	60 00	54 02	61 54	56 03
	COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE				
160	OEPRECIABLE ACCOUNTS	4 84	5 60		4 63
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	4 81	5 57		4 90
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	0	0
	MILES OF WIRE CABLE				
163	AERIAL	211 296		388 106	1 010 339
164	UNDERGROUND	469 875		57 362	171 770
165	BURIED	369 031		88 008	51 352
166	SUBMARINE	8 027		158	0
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	1 058 230		533 634	1 233 461
168	AERIAL WIRE	17 500		23 043	51 190
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	1 075 730		556 677	1 284 651
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	1 250		8 107	7 003
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	400		0	390
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	137	0	0	595
	CARRIER CHANNEL				
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	88 895	225 971	19 636	44 136
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	1 656	0	214	0
175	MILES OF VIDEO	51	102	0	0
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	0	0	0	0
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	232	1 392	78	0
	CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
178	ELECTRONIC	0	0	0	0
179	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	17	20	70	85
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	3	9	7	17
182	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	0
183	OTHER DIAL	0	6	1	0
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	20	35	78	102
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
185	ELECTRONIC	0	0	0	0
186	MANUAL	0	0	0	0
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	98 352	102 565	101 681	227 220
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	32 056	53 566	24 027	53 564
189	PANEL DIAL	0	0	0	0
190	OTHER DIAL	0	13 071	73	0
191	MOBILE	213	92	125	69

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NO	ITEM	17 SOUTHEASTERN TELEPHONE COMPANY	18 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF FLORIDA	19 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF MISSOURI	20 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF PENNSYLVANIA
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS				
192	MAIN	80,791	113,526	88,055	178,972
193	PBX	13,437	13,883	6,253	24,042
194	EXTENSION	36,393	41,885	31,598	77,839
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER				
195	BUSINESS	43,492	47,849	26,622	60,628
196	COIN	1,255	1,806	1,363	2,841
197	RESIDENCE	85,874	119,639	97,921	217,384
198	COMPANY TELEPHONES	130,621	169,294	125,906	280,853
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	0	0	107	0
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	23	0	26	280,853
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	130,644	169,294	126,039	280,853
	202 WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES				
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	5,141	12,756	2,332	8,334
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	20,201	28,047		73,820
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	122,946	158,330		273,222
	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 4/				
206	LOCAL CALLS	342,723,906	256,826,852	147,414,528	260,929,620
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	2,788	1,622	1,208	953
208	TOLL CALLS	15,721,060	27,034,961	14,936,328	37,770,636
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	128	171	122	138
	TELEGRAPH STATIONS				
210	PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	25	0
211	PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER	0	0	0	0
212	DATA-PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER	0	0	0	107
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	0	0	0
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0	0	25	107
	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE				
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING				
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE--TRANSITING				
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE				
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS				
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0	0	0	0
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0	0	0	0
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES				
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 5/	5	0	7	0
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	80	92	125	0
223	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	0	0	0	0
	EMPLOYMENT, PENSIONS, ETC				
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	1,446	1,705	1,044	0
225	MALE	723	792	508	1,100
226	FEMALE	723	913	536	569
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	11,656,071	13,496,425	7,584,499	14,776,483
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	9,024,121	10,035,190		8,493,522
	BENEFITS				
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR			27	449
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR		1,440	108,394	314,810
	PENSIONS				
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	24	42	122	140
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	1,202		158,590	1,086,639
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	550,081	853,232	948,435	2,287,423

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NO	ITEM	21 VIRGINIA TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY			
	BALANCE SHEET--ASSETS				
	COMMUNICATION PLANT				
1	TELEPHONE PLANT IN SERVICE	84 161 242			
2	TELEPHONE PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	2 307 782			
3	PROPERTY HELD FOR FUTURE TELEPHONE USE	0			
4	TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0			
5	SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0			
6	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	86 469 024			
7	LESS DEPRECIATION RESERVE	13 690 967			
8	AMORTIZATION RESERVE	0			
9	EARTH STATION DEPREC AND AMORTIZ RESERVE	0			
10	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--NET	72 778 057			
	INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS				
11	INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	1 047 175			
12	ADVANCES TO AFFILIATED COMPANIES	0			
13	MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	0			
14	OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	0			
15	TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	1,047 175			
	CURRENT ASSETS				
16	CASH	876 713			
17	TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	0			
18	NOTES RECEIVABLE	0			
19	ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM CUSTOMERS, AGENTS AND OTHERS	3 134 171			
20	MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	1,358 704			
21	ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	0			
22	TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	5 369 588			
23	OTHER ASSETS	0			
	PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES				
24	PREPAID ACCOUNTS	511 189			
25	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES	460 467			
26	TOTAL PREPAID ACCOUNTS AND DEFERRED CHARGES	971 656			
27	TOTAL ASSETS	80 166 476			
	BALANCE SHEET--LIABILITIES				
	CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS				
28	COMMON STOCK	33 224 517			
29	PREFERRED STOCK	0			
30	CAPITAL STOCK SUBSCRIBED	0			
31	INSTALLMENTS PAID ON CAPITAL STOCK	0			
32	PREMIUM ON CAPITAL STOCK	0			
33	OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS	0			
34	RETAINED EARNINGS RESERVED	0			
35	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS	1 976 521			
36	LESS DISCOUNT ON CAPITAL STOCK	0			
37	CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	0			
38	TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS	35 201 038			
	LONG-TERM DEBT				
	FUNDED DEBT				
39	MORTGAGE BONDS	15 629 000			
40	DEBENTURES	0			
41	OTHER FUNDED DEBT	14 000 000			
42	TOTAL FUNDED DEBT	29 629 000			
43	ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	5 000 000			
44	ALL OTHER LONG-TERM DEBT	0			
45	TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT	34 629 000			
	CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES				
46	NOTES PAYABLE	0			
47	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	1 157 210			
48	TAXES ACCRUED	410 051			
49	OTHER CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	1 387 216			
50	TOTAL CURRENT AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	2,954 477			

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NO	ITEM	21 VIRGINIA TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY			
	DEFERRED CREDITS				
51	PREMIUM ON LONG-TERM DEBT	2,823			
52	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES--ACCEL TAX DEPREC	5,881,038			
53	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	1,338,000			
54	ALL OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	160,000			
55	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	7,381,961			
56	TOTAL LIABILITIES	80,166,476			
	INCOME AND RETAINED EARNINGS STATEMENT				
	TELEPHONE OPERATING INCOME				
57	OPERATING REVENUES	20,781 102			
58	OPERATING EXPENSES	12,766 512			
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	8,014,590			
60	RENT FROM LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0			
61	RENT FOR LEASE OF OPERATING PROPERTY	0			
	TAXES AND INVESTMENT CREDITS				
	TAXES				
62	FEDERAL TAXES ON INCOME (OPERATING)	1,614 200			
63	FEDERAL INCOME TAXES DEFERRED--ACCEL TAX DEPRECIATION	0			
64	STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL TAXES ON INCOME	0			
65	PROPERTY TAXES	780,648			
66	GROSS RECEIPTS TAXES	399,354			
67	FEDERAL AND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	368,454			
68	OTHER TAXES	95,237			
69	TOTAL TAXES	3,257,893			
70	INCOME CREDITS FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FED INCOME TAX	0			
71	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	329,900			
72	NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER OPERATING TAX DEDUCTIONS	4,426,797			
	OTHER INCOME				
73	DIVIDEND INCOME	0			
74	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION	170,830			
75	OTHER INTEREST INCOME	0			
76	MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	128,419			
77	TOTAL OTHER INCOME	299,249			
78	MISCELLANEOUS DEDUCTIONS FROM INCOME	9,477			
79	INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES	4,716,569			
	FIXED CHARGES				
80	INTEREST ON FUNDED DEBT	2,031,675			
81	OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS	217,702			
82	ALL OTHER FIXED CHARGES	4,884			
83	TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	2,254,261			
84	INCOME BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS	2,462,308			
85	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CREDITS	8,116			
86	EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED INCOME CHARGES	0			
87	INCOME TAX EFFECT OF EXTRAORDINARY AND DELAYED ITEMS--NET	0			
88	NET INCOME	2,470,424			
89	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	3,174,654			
90	MISCELLANEOUS CREDITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	0			
91	MISCELLANEOUS DEBITS TO RETAINED EARNINGS	1,468,557			
92	RETAINED EARNINGS AVAILABLE FOR RESERVES OR APPROPRIATIONS	4,176,521			
93	RESERVATIONS OF RETAINED EARNINGS	0			
94	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS	2,200,000			
95	UNAPPROPRIATED RETAINED EARNINGS AT END OF YEAR	1,976,521			
	OIVIOENOS				
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
96	COMMON STOCK	2,200,000			
97	AMOUNT PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE	0			
98	PREFERRED STOCK				
99	RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE				

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TABLE 17 STATISTICS OF SELECTED LARGE TELEPHONE CARRIERS NOT SUBJECT TO THE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS
OF THE COMMISSION AS OF DECEMBER 31 1972 AND FOR THE YEAR THEN ENDED--CONTINUED

NO	ITEM	21 VIRGINIA TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY			
OPERATING REVENUES					
100	LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES				
	SUBSCRIBERS STATION REVENUES				
101	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	10 937 538			
101	TELETYPEWRITER	0			
102	TOTAL SUBSCRIBERS STATION REVENUES	10 937 538			
103	PUBLIC TELEPHONE REVENUES	228 638			
104	SERVICE STATIONS	19 331			
LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
105	TELEPHONE	187 801			
106	TELETYPEWRITER	14 903			
107	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0			
108	TELPAC	0			
109	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION -AUDIO	17 841			
110	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	2 804			
111	OTHER SERVICES	25 660			
112	TOTAL LOCAL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	249 009			
113	OTHER LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	0			
114	TOTAL LOCAL SERVICE REVENUES	11 434 516			
TOLL SERVICE REVENUES					
MESSAGE TOLLS					
115	TELEPHONE (INCLUDING MISCELLANEOUS)	7 635 215			
116	TELETYPEWRITER MESSAGES	16 779			
117	OTHER TELETYPEWRITER	0			
118	TELEGRAM	0			
119	TOTAL MESSAGE TOLLS	7 651 994			
120	WIDE AREA TOLL SERVICE	269 996			
TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES					
121	TELEPHONE	136 085			
122	TELETYPEWRITER	4 532			
123	OTHER TELEGRAPH	0			
124	TELPAC	0			
125	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--AUDIO	2 563			
126	PROGRAM TRANSMISSION--VIDEO	1 040			
127	OTHER SERVICES	560			
128	TOTAL TOLL PRIVATE LINE SERVICES	144 780			
129	OTHER TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	0			
130	TOTAL TOLL SERVICE REVENUES	8 066 770			
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES					
131	TELEGRAPH COMMISSIONS	3 383			
132	EARTH STATION REVENUES	0			
133	DIRECTORY ADVERTISING AND SALES	675 210			
134	RENT REVENUES	660 732			
135	REVENUES FROM GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0			
136	OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	10 101			
137	TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES	1 329 224			
138	UNCOLLECTIBLE OPERATING REVENUES	49 408			
139	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	20 781 102			
140	REVENUES FROM INTERSTATE AND FOREIGN SERVICE	3,901,690			
OPERATING EXPENSES					
141	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	4 406 167			
DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES					
142	DEPRECIATION	3 228 599			
143	EXTRAORDINARY RETIREMENTS	98 754			
144	AMORTIZATION OF INTANGIBLE PROPERTY	0			
145	AMORTIZATION OF TELEPHONE PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENT	0			
146	TOTAL DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSES	3 327 353			

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TABLE 17 --STATISTICS OF SELECTED LARGE TELEPHONE CARRIERS NOT SUBJECT TO THE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS
OF THE COMMISSION AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1972 AND FOR THE YEAR THEN ENDED--CONTINUED

NO	ITEM	21 VIRGINIA TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY			
	TRAFFIC EXPENSES				
147	OPERATORS' WAGES	1 366 164			
148	OTHER TRAFFIC EXPENSES	495 649			
149	TOTAL TRAFFIC EXPENSES	1 861,813			
150	COMMERCIAL EXPENSES	1,541,748			
151	GENERAL OFFICE SALARIES AND EXPENSES	868,397			
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES				
152	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0			
153	OPERATING RENTS	392,090			
154	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	448,487			
155	GENERAL SERVICES AND LICENSES	0			
156	OTHER EXPENSES 3/	-79,543			
157	TOTAL OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	761,034			
158	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	12,766,512			
159	RATIO OF OPERATING EXPENSES TO OPERATING REVENUES	61 40			
	COMPOSITE DEPRECIATION RATE				
160	DEPRECIABLE ACCOUNTS	4 76			
161	ALL PLANT ACCOUNTS	4 72			
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
162	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0			
	MILES OF WIRE CABLE				
163	AERIAL	353,736			
164	UNDERGROUND	157,487			
165	BURIED	183,873			
166	SUBMARINE	0			
167	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	695,096			
168	AERIAL WIRE	33,469			
169	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	728,565			
170	MILES OF POLE LINE	1 701			
171	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (DUCT)	193			
172	MILES OF PHANTOM CIRCUIT	0			
	CARRIER CHANNEL				
173	MILES OF TELEPHONE	28,279			
174	MILES OF TELEGRAPH	0			
175	MILES OF VIDEO	0			
176	MILES OF TUBE IN COAXIAL CABLE	0			
177	MILES OF RADIO RELAY SYSTEM	83			
	CENTRAL OFFICES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
178	ELECTRONIC	0			
179	MANUAL	0			
180	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	32			
181	CROSS BAR DIAL	6			
182	PANEL DIAL	0			
183	OTHER DIAL	0			
184	TOTAL CENTRAL OFFICES	38			
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF SWITCHBOARD				
185	ELECTRONIC	0			
186	MANUAL	0			
187	STEP-BY-STEP DIAL	111,314			
188	CROSS BAR DIAL	12,544			
189	PANEL DIAL	0			
190	OTHER DIAL	0			
191	MOBILE	40			

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TABLE 17 STATISTICS OF SELECTED LARGE TELEPHONE CARRIERS NOT SUBJECT TO THE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS OF THE COMMISSION AS OF DECEMBER 31 1972 AND FOR THE YEAR THEN ENDED- CONTINUED

NO	ITEM	21 VIRGINIA TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY		
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY CLASS			
192	MAIN	79 023		
193	PBX	13 419		
194	EXTENSION	31 456		
	COMPANY TELEPHONES BY TYPE OF CUSTOMER			
195	BUSINESS	33 715		
196	COIN	1 526		
197	RESIDENCE	88 657		
198	COMPANY TELEPHONES	123 898		
199	SERVICE TELEPHONES	11		
200	PRIVATE LINE TELEPHONES	87		
201	TOTAL TELEPHONES	123 996		
202	WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE (WATS) ACCESS LINES			
203	DISCONNECTED TELEPHONES LEFT IN PLACE	3 528		
204	TELEPHONES IN STOCK	13 579		
205	AVERAGE NUMBER OF COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES	120 566		
	TELEPHONE CALLS ORIGINATING FROM COMPANY AND SERVICE TELEPHONES DURING THE YEAR 4			
206	LOCAL CALLS	239 763 031		
207	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	1 989		
208	TOLL CALLS	14 961 969		
209	AVERAGE PER TELEPHONE	124		
	TELEGRAPH STATIONS			
210	PRIVATE LINE--TELETYPEWRITER	0		
211	PRIVATE LINE--MORSE AND OTHER	0		
212	DATA-PHONE SERVICE--TELETYPEWRITER	0		
213	ALL OTHER TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0		
214	TOTAL TELEGRAPH STATIONS	0		
	OVERSEAS TELEPHONE SERVICE			
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE OTHER THAN TRANSITING			
215	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0		
216	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0		
	MESSAGE TELEPHONE SERVICE TRANSITING			
217	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0		
	PRIVATE LINE SERVICE			
218	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0		
	MARINE SERVICE TO MOBILE STATIONS			
219	NUMBER OF CHARGEABLE MESSAGES	0		
220	REVENUE FOR THE YEAR	0		
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICES			
221	NUMBER OF BASE STATIONS IN SERVICE 5	3		
222	NUMBER OF MOBILE UNITS SERVED OTHER THAN ONE WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	130		
223	NUMBER OF ONE-WAY SIGNALLING RECEIVERS	0		
	EMPLOYMENT, PENSIONS ETC			
224	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF DECEMBER	1 152		
225	MALE	614		
226	FEMALE	538		
227	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	8 590 497		
228	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	6 976 285		
	BENEFITS			
229	NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED DURING YEAR			
230	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR			
	PENSIONS			
231	NUMBER OF CASES BEING PAID AT END OF YEAR	27		
232	AMOUNT PAID DURING YEAR	2 397		
233	PROVISION FOR RELIEF AND PENSIONS	448 487		

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NOTE CERTAIN DATA PERTAINING TO THE CARRIERS INCLUDED IN THIS TABLE ARE UNAVAILABLE WHERE SUCH IS THE CASE THE SPACE PROVIDED FOR THE INFORMATION HAS BEEN LEFT BLANK AS DISTINGUISHED FROM INSERTION OF A ZERO WHICH MEANS THAT NONE WAS REPORTED

1 DUE TO REORGANIZATION ON DECEMBER 1 1971, THE COMMON STOCK HAS NO PAR OR STATED VALUE

2 BASED ON AVERAGE SHARES OUTSTANDING

3 INCLUDES CREDIT ITEMS TELEPHONE FRANCHISE REQUIREMENTS AND EXPENSES CHARGED CONSTRUCTION

4 PARTLY ESTIMATED

5 ALL THE BASE STATION TRANSMITTERS USED IN DOMESTIC PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIO SERVICE IN ONE MOBILE SERVICE AREA ARE CONSIDERED COLLECTIVELY AS ONE BASE STATION

6 REPRESENTS WEIGHTED AVERAGE RATE PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE

7 INCLUDED IN LINE 119

8 THIS COMPANY PARTICIPATES IN WIDE AREA TELEPHONE SERVICE BUT HAS NOT DETERMINED AND SO CLASSIFIED THE RELATIVELY MINOR AMOUNTS OF REVENUE RECEIVED THEREFROM, AND HAS INSTEAD CLASSIFIED THEM AS MESSAGE TOLL REVENUE

9 DURING 1972, GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA RECEIVED FINAL APPROVAL FROM THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION TO CONSUMATE ITS PLAN OF MERGER WITH YORK TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY. THE ACQUISITION AND SUBSEQUENT MERGER OF THESE COMPANIES HAVE BEEN RECORDED AT DECEMBER 31, 1972

10 REPRESENTS COMPLETED CALLS ONLY

11 DIVIDENDS PER \$100 PAR OR STATED VALUE NOT SHOWN BECAUSE EQUITY CAPITALIZATION AS STATED IN THE ACCOUNTS IS SO UNUSUAL AS TO PRODUCE MISLEADING RESULTS

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TABLE 18 CAPITALIZATION RATIOS FOR REPORTING TELEPHONE CARRIERS

	TELEPHONE CARRIERS	CAPITALIZATION RATIO	
		1971	1972
1	BELL SYSTEM COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	52.83 % 43.88 % 3.19 % 0.9 %	50.98 % 45.44 % 3.40 % 1.8 %
2	TOTAL BELL OPERATING COMPANIES COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	58.66 % 37.45 % 3.67 % 1.9 %	57.66 % 38.18 % 3.89 % 2.8 %
3	BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF NEVADA COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	95.54 % 4.46 % 0.0 % 0.0 %	96.73 % 3.27 % 0.0 % 0.0 %
4	THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	62.42 % 31.82 % 5.77 % 0.0 %	62.71 % 36.90 % 3.8 % 0.0 %
5	CHESAPEAKE AND POTOMAC TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	60.74 % 35.39 % 3.87 % 0.0 %	66.21 % 27.57 % 6.22 % 0.0 %
6	CHESAPEAKE AND POTOMAC TELEPHONE COMPANY OF MARYLAND COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	61.77 % 35.55 % 2.68 % 0.0 %	62.01 % 34.10 % 3.89 % 0.0 %
7	CHESAPEAKE AND POTOMAC TELEPHONE COMPANY OF VIRGINIA COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	59.69 % 36.55 % 3.76 % 0.0 %	59.08 % 37.92 % 3.00 % 0.0 %
8	CHESAPEAKE AND POTOMAC TELEPHONE COMPANY OF WEST VIRGINIA COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	65.52 % 29.72 % 4.76 % 0.0 %	63.77 % 29.52 % 6.71 % 0.0 %
9	CINCINNATI BELL INC COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	51.81 % 47.29 % 9.0 % 0.0 %	49.37 % 45.01 % 5.62 % 0.0 %
10	THE DIAMOND STATE TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	59.08 % 39.10 % 1.83 % 0.0 %	62.39 % 37.37 % 2.4 % 0.0 %
11	ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	66.97 % 33.03 % 0.0 % 0.0 %	62.84 % 35.11 % 2.04 % 0.0 %
12	INDIANA BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY INCORPORATED COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	57.44 % 38.98 % 3.58 % 0.0 %	59.53 % 36.86 % 3.61 % 0.0 %
13	MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	56.52 % 39.58 % 3.90 % 0.0 %	58.13 % 41.54 % 3.3 % 0.0 %
14	MOUNTAIN STATES TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY THE COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	52.43 % 43.24 % 4.33 % 0.0 %	56.93 % 40.50 % 2.57 % 0.0 %
15	NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	46.94 % 47.40 % 5.65 % 0.0 %	48.77 % 48.38 % 2.85 % 0.0 %

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TABLE 18--CAPITALIZATION RATIOS FOR REPORTING TELEPHONE CARRIERS
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	TELEPHONE CARRIERS	CAPITALIZATION RATIO	
		1971	1972
16	NEW JERSEY BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	61 73 % 31 38 % 6 88 % 00 %	60 29 % 35 36 % 4 35 % 00 %
17	NEW YORK TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	62 75 % 33 35 % 3 91 % 00 %	60 80 % 30 20 % 9 00 % 00 %
18	NORTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	58 34 % 35 96 % 5 69 % 00 %	57 42 % 40 71 % 1 87 % 00 %
19	THE OHIO BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2	62 41 % 33 52 % 4 08 % 00 %	58 51 % 34 82 % 6 68 % 00 %
20	PACIFIC NORTHWEST BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2	56 11 % 43 21 % 68 % 00 %	53 19 % 42 54 % 4 27 % 00 %
21	PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY THE COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	54 30 % 41 13 % 3 03 % 1 54 %	50 04 % 43 87 % 4 67 % 1 42 %
22	SOUTH CENTRAL BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	60 14 % 38 59 % 1 27 % 00 %	59 27 % 38 93 % 1 80 % 00 %
23	SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2	62 84 % 32 55 % 4 61 % 00 %	61 56 % 33 58 % 4 86 % 00 %
24	THE SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2	48 84 % 49 22 % 1 94 % 00 %	47 32 % 46 50 % 35 % 5 83 %
25	SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	56 87 % 39 35 % 3 78 % 00 %	56 83 % 41 07 % 2 10 % 00 %
26	WISCONSIN TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	58 61 % 36 81 % 4 58 % 00 %	61 19 % 33 88 % 4 93 % 00 %
27	ALL AMERICA CABLES AND RADIO, INC COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	97 17 % 2 83 % 00 % 00 %	97 49 % 2 51 % 00 % 00 %
28	CAROLINA TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	47 00 % 53 00 % 00 % 00 %	48 98 % 48 91 % 2 11 % 00 %
29	CENTRAL TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	41 62 % 46 74 % 00 % 11 63 %	45 38 % 45 17 % 00 % 9 45 %
30	CENTRAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF ILLINOIS COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	48 31 % 48 81 % 2 89 % 00 %	50 32 % 49 68 % 00 % 00 %

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TABLE 18 CAPITALIZATION RATIOS FOR REPORTING TELEPHONE CARRIERS
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	TELEPHONE CARRIERS	CAPITALIZATION RATIO	
		1971	1972
31	CITIZENS UTILITIES OF CALIFORNIA		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	87 36 %	88 83 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	7 20 %	6 37 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	00 %	00 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2	5 44 %	4 81 %
32	COMMONWEALTH TELEPHONE COMPANY		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	33 78 %	37 01 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	50 39 %	45 22 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	9 21 %	6 57 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2	6 62 %	11 21 %
33	CONTINENTAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	36 97 %	38 55 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	52 61 %	48 02 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	1 63 %	5 55 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2	8 80 %	7 88 %
34	CUBAN AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	100 00 %	100 00 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	00 %	00 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	00 %	00 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2	00 %	00 %
35	DELAWARE VALLEY TELEPHONE COMPANY		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	24 72 %	26 18 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	00 %	00 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	75 28 %	73 82 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2	00 %	00 %
36	FLORIDA TELEPHONE CORPORATION		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	51 29 %	48 75 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	38 31 %	40 64 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	6 17 %	7 42 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2	4 23 %	3 19 %
37	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF ALASKA		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	32 86 %	37 48 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	00 %	00 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	67 14 %	62 52 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2	00 %	00 %
38	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	37 49 %	36 84 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	54 52 %	52 47 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	4 60 %	7 43 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2	3 39 %	3 26 %
39	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF FLORIDA		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	35 62 %	39 00 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	44 92 %	45 49 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	15 61 %	12 25 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2	3 85 %	3 26 %
40	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF ILLINOIS		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	38 76 %	39 71 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	49 30 %	50 88 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	8 30 %	6 11 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2	3 64 %	3 29 %
41	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF INDIANA INC		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	41 17 %	39 45 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	53 74 %	49 16 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	1 50 %	8 12 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2	3 60 %	3 27 %
42	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF KENTUCKY		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	40 74 %	44 68 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	50 01 %	45 84 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	6 09 %	6 65 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2	3 16 %	2 82 %
43	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF MICHIGAN		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	38 82 %	36 03 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	50 42 %	45 77 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	5 71 %	13 73 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2	5 04 %	4 47 %
44	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE MIDWEST		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	36 36 %	45 26 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	42 11 %	37 98 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	21 53 %	16 77 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2	00 %	00 %
45	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE NORTHWEST		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	43 74 %	43 52 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	45 79 %	48 24 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	10 47 %	8 24 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2	00 %	00 %

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	TELEPHONE CARRIERS	CAPITALIZATION RATIO	
		1971	1972
46	GENERAL TELEPHONE OF OHIO		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	35 60 %	39 40 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	44 77 %	49 25 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5/	15 12 %	7 22 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2/	4 51 %	4 12 %
47	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	36 08 %	32 95 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	38 86 %	32 17 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	18 73 %	30 86 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2	6 33 %	4 02 %
48	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE SOUTHEAST		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	52 58 %	46 02 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	40 51 %	40 13 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5/	5 68 %	12 87 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2/	1 22 %	99 %
49	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE SOUTHWEST		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	41 12 %	41 80 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	46 07 %	49 33 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5/	9 87 %	6 23 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2/	2 95 %	2 64 %
50	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF UPSTATE NEW YORK INC		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	49 06 %	44 79 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	32 39 %	28 58 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5/	18 55 %	26 63 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2/	00 %	00 %
51	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF WISCONSIN		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	39 05 %	45 92 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	34 10 %	42 12 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5/	25 29 %	10 49 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2/	1 56 %	1 47 %
52	GENEVA TELEPHONE COMPANY		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	58 33 %	58 26 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	41 67 %	41 74 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	00 %	00 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2/	00 %	00 %
53	HAWAIIAN TELEPHONE COMPANY		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	41 36 %	46 99 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	48 26 %	45 10 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5/	10 38 %	7 91 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2/	00 %	00 %
54	IDAHO TELEPHONE CO		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	N A 3	34 55 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	N A 3	52 32 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	N A 3	13 13 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2/	N A 3	00 %
55	ITT COMMUNICATIONS INC -VIRGIN ISLANDS		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	87 34 %	89 45 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	12 66 %	10 55 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5/	00 %	00 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2/	00 %	00 %
56	LEE TELEPHONE COMPANY		
	COMMON EQUITY 1/	72 70 %	N A 3
	LONG TERM DEBT	27 30 %	N A 3
	CURRENT DEBT 5	00 %	N A 3
	PREFERRED STOCK 2/	00 %	N A 3
57	LINCOLN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY THE		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	37 53 %	39 25 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	54 17 %	48 91 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	3 15 %	7 05 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2/	5 15 %	4 79 %
58	LORAIN TELEPHONE COMPANY THE		
	COMMON EQUITY 1	28 83 %	29 36 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	51 77 %	55 02 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5/	2 92 %	00 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2/	16 49 %	15 62 %
59	MALHEUR HOME TELEPHONE COMPANY		
	COMMON EQUITY 1/	98 42 %	87 55 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	1 58 %	12 45 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5/	00 %	00 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2/	00 %	00 %
60	MID PENN TELEPHONE CORP		
	COMMON EQUITY 1/	N A 4	47 60 %
	LONG TERM DEBT	N A 4	52 40 %
	CURRENT DEBT 5	N A 4	00 %
	PREFERRED STOCK 2/	N A 4	00 %

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TABLE 18 CAPITALIZATION RATIOS FOR REPORTING TELEPHONE CARRIERS
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	TELEPHONE CARRIERS	CAPITALIZATION RATIO	
		1971	1972
61	NAVAJO COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY INC COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	44 02 % 53 99 % 1 99 % 00 %	37 86 % 60 46 % 1 68 % 00 %
62	NEMONT TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE INC COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	N A 3 N A 3 N A 3 N A 3	31 35 % 68 65 % 00 % 00 %
63	THE NORFOLK AND CAROLINA TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	35 66 % 45 46 % 14 60 % 4 27 %	32 36 % 51 44 % 12 46 % 3 74 %
64	THE NORFOLK AND CAROLINA TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY OF VIRGINIA COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	40 25 % 42 79 % 11 97 % 4 99 %	31 70 % 33 03 % 31 32 % 3 95 %
65	NORTHERN OHIO TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	38 45 % 47 00 % 14 55 % 00 %	45 00 % 51 35 % 3 65 % 00 %
66	PUERTO RICO TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	42 98 % 47 85 % 6 16 % 3 01 %	39 81 % 42 35 % 15 29 % 2 55 %
67	RCA ALASKA COMMUNICATIONS INC COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	61 02 % 38 98 % 00 % 00 %	59 78 % 40 22 % 00 % 00 %
68	ROCHESTER TELEPHONE CORPORATION COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	41 08 % 50 72 % 00 % 8 20 %	41 41 % 47 48 % 3 42 % 7 69 %
69	SOUTH PENN TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	43 78 % 56 22 % 00 % 00 %	N A 4 N A 4 N A 4 N A 4
70	SOUTHEASTERN TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	48 86 % 51 14 % 00 % 00 %	51 01 % 48 99 % 00 % 00 %
71	UNITED INTER MOUNTAIN TELEPHONE CO COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	44 61 % 55 39 % 00 % 00 %	48 32 % 49 99 % 1 68 % 00 %
72	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF FLORIDA COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	49 58 % 50 40 % 03 % 00 %	48 29 % 51 68 % 03 % 00 %
73	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF INDIANA INC COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	42 87 % 55 87 % 00 % 1 26 %	47 09 % 46 14 % 5 63 % 1 15 %
74	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF MISSOURI COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	46 81 % 53 19 % 00 % 00 %	42 61 % 43 67 % 13 72 % 00 %
75	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE NORTHWEST COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2	42 09 % 46 06 % 10 31 % 1 55 %	47 67 % 51 02 % 00 % 1 31 %

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TABLE 18--CAPITALIZATION RATIOS FOR REPORTING TELEPHONE CARRIERS
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	TELEPHONE CARRIERS	CAPITALIZATION RATIO	
		1971	1972
76	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF OHIO COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	44 47 % 46 66 % 00 % 8 87 %	41 12 % 49 20 % 1 63 % 8 05 %
77	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5 PREFERRED STOCK 2/	43 35 % 53 30 % 00 % 3 35 %	47 77 % 50 11 % 00 % 2 12 %
78	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE WEST COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	46 00 % 46 14 % 7 86 % 00 %	41 63 % 39 49 % 18 88 % 00 %
79	VIRGIN ISLANDS TELEPHONE CORP COMMON EQUITY 1 LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	40 81 % 40 43 % 18 76 % 00 %	40 73 % 44 47 % 14 80 % 00 %
80	VIRGINIA TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	49 93 % 46 76 % 3 32 % 00 %	50 41 % 49 59 % 00 % 00 %
81	WEST COAST TELEPHONE COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	100 00 % 00 % 00 % 00 %	100 00 % 00 % 00 % 00 %
82	WESTCO TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	28 97 % 56 86 % 10 95 % 3 21 %	26 37 % 57 80 % 12 96 % 2 88 %
83	WESTERN CAROLINA TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	35 30 % 53 23 % 8 09 % 3 38 %	39 06 % 49 49 % 5 05 % 6 40 %
84	WOODBURY TELEPHONE COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	57 04 % 42 96 % 00 % 00 %	49 14 % 50 86 % 00 % 00 %
85	YORK TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY COMMON EQUITY 1/ LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT 5/ PREFERRED STOCK 2/	25 63 % 00 % 74 37 % 00 %	N/A N/A N/A N/A

NOTE--THIS TABLE SHOWS CAPITAL STRUCTURE FOR SUBJECT AND SELECTED LARGE NON SUBJECT TELEPHONE CARRIERS. THESE RATIOS HAVE AS THEIR BASE THE SUM OF COMMON EQUITY LONG TERM DEBT CURRENT DEBT AND PREFERRED STOCK.

1/ FOR PURPOSES OF COMPUTATION OF THIS RATIO, COMMON EQUITY IS DEFINED AS TOTAL CAPITAL STOCK AND SURPLUS LESS PREFERRED STOCK AT PAR VALUE

2/ BASED ON PAR VALUE OF PREFERRED STOCK

3/ THIS COMPANY WAS NOT REQUIRED TO FILE WITH THE COMMISSION FOR THIS YEAR

4/ MID PENN TELEPHONE COMPANY AND SOUTH PENN TELEPHONE COMPANY HAVE MERGED. THE SOUTH PENN VALUES FOR 1971 REPRESENT ONLY SOUTH PENN TELEPHONE COMPANY WHILE THE MID PENN VALUES FOR 1972 REPRESENT THE COMBINATION OF SOUTH PENN AND MID PENN

5/ CURRENT DEBT REPRESENTS NOTES PAYABLE

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TABLE 19 - INTEREST COVERAGE RATIOS FOR REPORTING TELEPHONE CARRIERS

	TELEPHONE CARRIERS	TIMES INTEREST EARNED 1/			
		1971		1972	
		BEFORE TAX	AFTER TAX	BEFORE TAX	AFTER TAX
1	BELL SYSTEM	3.91	2.68	3.86	2.65
2	TOTAL BELL OPERATING COMPANIES	4.61	3.00	4.59	3.00
3	BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF NEVADA	72.22	39.31	57.89	33.00
4	THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA	5.84	3.41	5.98	3.49
5	CHESAPEAKE AND POTOMAC TELEPHONE COMPANY	4.87	3.08	5.16	3.21
6	CHESAPEAKE AND POTOMAC TELEPHONE COMPANY OF MARYLAND	5.60	3.64	5.74	3.69
7	CHESAPEAKE AND POTOMAC TELEPHONE COMPANY OF VIRGINIA	4.34	2.94	5.05	3.30
8	CHESAPEAKE AND POTOMAC TELEPHONE COMPANY OF WEST VIRGINIA	7.02	4.32	5.24	3.38
9	CINCINNATI BELL INC	4.21	2.83	3.53	2.47
10	THE DIAMOND STATE TELEPHONE COMPANY	5.43	3.31	4.64	2.97
11	ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY	6.14	3.81	6.51	3.97
12	INDIANA BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY INCORPORATED	4.13	2.76	3.93	2.67
13	MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY	4.36	2.82	4.66	2.93
14	MOUNTAIN STATES TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY THE	4.57	2.99	4.50	2.95
15	NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY	3.27	2.32	3.23	2.35
16	NEW JERSEY BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY	5.01	3.24	5.05	3.27
17	NEW YORK TELEPHONE COMPANY	3.36	2.51	4.12	2.92
18	NORTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY	4.66	2.99	5.06	3.13
19	THE OHIO BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY	4.31	2.96	2.92	2.21
20	PACIFIC NORTHWEST BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY	3.67	2.51	4.03	2.71
21	PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY, THE	3.93	2.60	3.54	2.42
22	SOUTH CENTRAL BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY	5.34	3.34	4.91	3.12
23	SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY	5.42	3.40	5.51	3.45
24	THE SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE COMPANY	3.58	2.45	3.81	2.58
25	SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY	5.63	3.51	5.23	3.31
26	WISCONSIN TELEPHONE COMPANY	5.15	3.20	5.31	3.30
27	ALL AMERICA CABLES AND RADIO INC	14.97	11.02	18.82	14.47
28	CAROLINA TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY	3.80	2.49	3.74	2.44
29	CENTRAL TELEPHONE COMPANY	3.49	2.84	3.62	3.08
30	CENTRAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF ILLINOIS	5.05	3.23	4.98	3.09
31	CITIZENS UTILITIES OF CALIFORNIA	69.67	38.60	92.34	52.86
32	COMMONWEALTH TELEPHONE COMPANY	3.16	2.30	3.27	2.48
33	CONTINENTAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA	2.44	2.18	2.71	2.58
34	CUBAN AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
35	DELAWARE VALLEY TELEPHONE COMPANY	2.23	1.70	3.33	2.10
36	FLORIDA TELEPHONE CORPORATION	3.10	2.48	3.15	2.60
37	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF ALASKA	4.26	2.47	4.98	2.90
38	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA	2.48	1.84	2.82	1.94
39	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF FLORIDA	3.32	2.41	3.44	2.29
40	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF ILLINOIS	3.59	2.43	3.49	2.43
41	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF INDIANA INC	3.35	2.36	3.71	2.53
42	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF KENTUCKY	3.44	2.35	3.29	2.26
43	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF MICHIGAN	3.53	2.33	3.66	2.39
44	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE MIDWEST	2.91	2.04	2.84	2.04
45	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE NORTHWEST	2.59	1.92	2.98	2.12

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TABLE 19 --INTEREST COVERAGE RATIOS FOR REPORTING TELEPHONE CARRIERS
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	TELEPHONE CARRIERS	TIMES INTEREST EARNED 1/			
		1971		1972	
		BEFORE TAX	AFTER TAX	BEFORE TAX	AFTER TAX
46	GENERAL TELEPHONE OF OHIO	2.90	2.10	2.84	2.07
47	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA	3.72	2.35	3.17	2.12
48	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE SOUTHEAST	3.28	2.31	2.96	2.11
49	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE SOUTHWEST	2.93	2.15	2.93	2.18
50	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF UPSTATE NEW YORK INC	2.00	1.54	2.86	1.96
51	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF WISCONSIN	2.23	1.86	2.60	2.06
52	GENEVA TELEPHONE COMPANY	6.19	4.09	6.94	4.44
53	HAWAIIAN TELEPHONE COMPANY	2.00	1.68	2.34	1.81
54	IDAHO TELEPHONE CO	N/A 2/	N/A 2/	3.80	3.07
55	ITT COMMUNICATIONS, INC -VIRGIN ISLANDS	27.03	18.15	31.96	21.33
56	LEE TELEPHONE COMPANY	3.72	2.59	N/A 2/	N/A 2/
57	LINCOLN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY, THE	4.57	2.91	4.29	2.81
58	LORAIN TELEPHONE COMPANY, THE	3.53	2.39	3.24	2.24
59	MALHEUR HOME TELEPHONE COMPANY	22.53	11.83	50.17	26.20
60	MID PENN TELEPHONE CORP	N/A 3/	N/A 3/	3.60	2.46
61	NAVAJO COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY, INC	5.00	2.98	5.43	3.26
62	NEMONT TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC	N/A 2/	N/A 2/	4.27	4.27
63	THE NORFOLK AND CAROLINA TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY	3.18	2.14	2.41	1.76
64	THE NORFOLK AND CAROLINA TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY OF VIRGINIA	3.38	2.34	2.33	1.78
65	NORTHERN OHIO TELEPHONE COMPANY	3.94	2.51	3.04	2.22
66	PUERTO RICO TELEPHONE COMPANY	2.79	2.16	1.65	1.46
67	RCA ALASKA COMMUNICATIONS, INC	1.63	1.47	2.89	1.93
68	ROCHESTER TELEPHONE CORPORATION	4.12	3.11	3.51	3.16
69	SOUTH PENN TELEPHONE COMPANY	12.20	9.15	N/A 3/	N/A 3/
70	SOUTHEASTERN TELEPHONE COMPANY	3.16	2.38	3.15	2.31
71	UNITED INTER-MOUNTAIN TELEPHONE CO	3.67	2.59	3.41	2.40
72	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF FLORIDA	3.03	2.17	4.56	2.88
73	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF INDIANA, INC	4.09	2.75	4.15	2.81
74	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF MISSOURI	3.23	2.43	2.83	2.18
75	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE NORTHWEST	4.68	3.19	4.93	3.33
76	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF OHIO	3.08	2.43	2.40	2.21
77	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA	4.10	2.65	3.38	2.47
78	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE WEST	3.43	2.34	4.35	2.83
79	VIRGIN ISLANDS TELEPHONE CORP	1.34	1.31	1.85	1.77
80	VIRGINIA TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY	2.49	1.93	2.96	2.10
81	WEST COAST TELEPHONE COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA	77.63	38.97	58.92	30.46
82	WESTCO TELEPHONE COMPANY	2.55	2.08	1.90	1.54
83	WESTERN CAROLINA TELEPHONE COMPANY	1.80	1.59	1.69	1.40
84	WOODBURY TELEPHONE COMPANY	6.44	3.71	5.41	3.24
85	YORK TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY	2.75	1.86	N/A	N/A

NOTE--THIS TABLE PRESENTS THE INTEREST COVERAGE STATISTICS FOR SUBJECT AND SELECTED LARGE NON-SUBJECT TELEPHONE CARRIERS THESE RATIOS MEASURE THE FIRMS CURRENT CAPACITY TO MEET FIXED INTEREST CHARGES FROM INCOME (WHERE INCOME INCLUDES INTEREST DURING CONSTRUCTION)

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TABLE 19 - INTEREST COVERAGE RATIOS FOR REPORTING TELEPHONE CARRIERS
CONTINUED

- 1 THE RATIOS ARE CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS (IN DECIMAL FORM)
INTEREST COVERAGE BEFORE TAXES =
INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES
(PLUS) INCOME TAXES
(MINUS) INCOME CREDITS RESULTING FROM PRIOR DEFERRAL OF FEDERAL INCOME TAXES
(PLUS) NET INVESTMENT CREDITS
(DIVIDED BY THE SUM OF) INTEREST ON FUNDEO DEBT (PLUS) OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS

INTEREST COVERAGE AFTER TAXES =
INCOME AVAILABLE FOR FIXED CHARGES
(DIVIDED BY THE SUM OF) INTEREST ON FUNDEO DEBT (PLUS) OTHER INTEREST DEDUCTIONS
- 2 THIS COMPANY WAS NOT REQUIRED TO FILE WITH THE COMMISSION FOR THIS YEAR
- 3/ MIO PENN TELEPHONE COMPANY AND SOUTH PENN TELEPHONE COMPANY HAVE MERGED. THE SOUTH PENN VALUES FOR 1971 REPRESENT ONLY SOUTH PENN TELEPHONE COMPANY WHILE THE MIO PENN VALUES FOR 1972 REPRESENT THE COMBINATION OF SOUTH PENN AND MIO PENN

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TABLE 20 - RATE OF RETURN ON UTILITY RATE BASE FOR REPORTING TELEPHONE CARRIERS

	TELEPHONE CARRIERS	RATE OF RETURN 1/	
		1971	1972
1	BELL SYSTEM . . .	7 39 %	7 61 %
2	AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY LONG LINES DEPARTMENT	7 61 %	7 53 %
3	TOTAL BELL OPERATING COMPANIES	7 06 %	7 34 %
4	BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF NEVADA	7 77 %	7 69 %
5	THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA	7 30 %	7 83 %
6	CHESAPEAKE AND POTOMAC TELEPHONE COMPANY	7 17 %	6 43 %
7	CHESAPEAKE AND POTOMAC TELEPHONE COMPANY OF MARYLAND	7 25 %	7 72 %
8	CHESAPEAKE AND POTOMAC TELEPHONE COMPANY OF VIRGINIA	7 18 %	8 45 %
9	CHESAPEAKE AND POTOMAC TELEPHONE COMPANY OF WEST VIRGINIA	8 50 %	7 49 %
10	CINCINNATI BELL INC	7 85 %	7 57 %
11	THE DIAMOND STATE TELEPHONE COMPANY	8 63 %	8 21 %
12	ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY	7 59 %	7 65 %
13	INDIANA BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY, INCORPORATED	7 51 %	7 62 %
14	MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY	6 85 %	7 34 %
15	MOUNTAIN STATES TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY, THE	8 06 %	7 99 %
16	NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY	6 82 %	6 99 %
17	NEW JERSEY BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY	7 06 %	7 58 %
18	NEW YORK TELEPHONE COMPANY	5 30 %	6 43 %
19	NORTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY	7 08 %	7 82 %
20	THE OHIO BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY	6 32 %	5 64 %
21	PACIFIC NORTHWEST BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY	7 12 %	7 44 %
22	PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY, THE	6 91 %	6 66 %
23	SOUTH CENTRAL BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY	7 38 %	7 68 %
24	SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY	7 15 %	7 62 %
25	THE SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE COMPANY	6 87 %	7 62 %
26	SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY	8 25 %	8 07 %
27	WISCONSIN TELEPHONE COMPANY	7 25 %	7 32 %
28	ALL AMERICA CABLES AND RADIO, INC	20 45 %	16 96 %
29	CAROLINA TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY	8 91 %	8 49 %
30	CENTRAL TELEPHONE COMPANY	8 46 %	7 99 %
31	CENTRAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF ILLINOIS	8 58 %	9 13 %
32	CITIZENS UTILITIES OF CALIFORNIA	7 13 %	7 90 %
33	COMMONWEALTH TELEPHONE COMPANY	8 46 %	8 53 %
34	CONTINENTAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA	8 17 %	8 71 %
35	CUBAN AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY	185 13 %	489 10 %
36	DELAWARE VALLEY TELEPHONE COMPANY	7 45 %	7 87 %
37	FLORIDA TELEPHONE CORPORATION	13 73 %	8 08 %
38	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF ALASKA	11 88 %	12 07 %
39	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA	6 50 %	6 89 %
40	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF FLORIDA	8 31 %	8 02 %
41	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF ILLINOIS	7 92 %	7 97 %
42	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF INDIANA INC	6 98 %	7 65 %
43	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF KENTUCKY	7 36 %	7 49 %
44	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF MICHIGAN	7 76 %	8 02 %
45	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE MIDWEST	7 68 %	7 50 %

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TABLE 20 RATE OF RETURN ON UTILITY RATE BASE FOR REPORTING TELEPHONE CARRIERS
CONTINUED

	TELEPHONE CARRIERS	RATE OF RETURN 1	
		1971	1972
46	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE NORTHWEST	6.85 %	7.14 %
47	GENERAL TELEPHONE OF OHIO	6.73 %	6.76 %
48	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA	7.33 %	8.67 %
49	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE SOUTHEAST	6.52 %	7.01 %
50	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE SOUTHWEST	7.31 %	6.99 %
51	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF UPSTATE NEW YORK INC	6.29 %	6.86 %
52	GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF WISCONSIN	6.29 %	6.39 %
53	GENEVA TELEPHONE COMPANY	9.47 %	9.18 %
54	HAWAIIAN TELEPHONE COMPANY	6.43 %	6.79 %
55	IDAHO TELEPHONE CO	N A 2	11.57 %
56	ITT COMMUNICATIONS, INC -VIRGIN ISLANDS	20.36 %	22.56 %
57	LEE TELEPHONE COMPANY	6.87 %	N A 2
58	LINCOLN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY THE	9.37 %	8.87 %
59	LORAIN TELEPHONE COMPANY THE	8.00 %	7.70 %
60	MALHEUR HOME TELEPHONE COMPANY	9.76 %	9.39 %
61	MID PENN TELEPHONE CORP	N A 3	13.95 %
62	NAVAJO COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY INC	5.58 %	7.96 %
63	NEMONT TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE INC	N A 2	6.28 %
64	THE NORFOLK AND CAROLINA TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY	7.74 %	7.18 %
65	THE NORFOLK AND CAROLINA TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY OF VIRGINIA	6.96 %	4.89 %
66	NORTHERN OHIO TELEPHONE COMPANY	8.56 %	7.98 %
67	PUERTO RICO TELEPHONE COMPANY	7.80 %	5.84 %
68	RCA ALASKA COMMUNICATIONS INC	5.71 %	5.51 %
69	ROCHESTER TELEPHONE CORPORATION	8.26 %	8.36 %
70	SOUTH PENN TELEPHONE COMPANY	6.12 %	N A 3
71	SOUTHEASTERN TELEPHONE COMPANY	7.05 %	7.74 %
72	UNITED INTER MOUNTAIN TELEPHONE CO	8.07 %	7.64 %
73	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF FLORIDA	8.50 %	9.70 %
74	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF INDIANA INC	8.77 %	8.72 %
75	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF MISSOURI	8.25 %	7.53 %
76	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE NORTHWEST	10.24 %	10.92 %
77	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF OHIO	7.74 %	7.93 %
78	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA	8.13 %	9.60 %
79	UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE WEST	7.20 %	8.62 %
80	VIRGIN ISLANDS TELEPHONE CORP	5.49 %	7.74 %
81	VIRGINIA TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY	6.01 %	6.78 %
82	WEST COAST TELEPHONE COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA	6.65 %	9.79 %
83	WESTCO TELEPHONE COMPANY	5.68 %	4.55 %
84	WESTERN CAROLINA TELEPHONE COMPANY	8.05 %	6.51 %
85	WOODBURY TELEPHONE COMPANY	9.74 %	9.39 %
86	YORK TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY	7.59 %	N A

NOTE: THIS TABLE PRESENTS RATES OF RETURN ON UTILITY RATE BASES FOR SUBJECT AND SELECTED LARGE NON SUBJECT TELEPHONE CARRIERS. THE CALCULATIONS WITH MINOR MODIFICATIONS WERE MADE ACCORDING TO PRINCIPLES EMPLOYED BY THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION FOR REGULATORY PURPOSES. THE RATE BASE IS THE AVERAGE OF BEGINNING AND END OF YEAR NET PLANT (ON AN ORIGINAL BOOK VALUE BASIS) INCLUDING PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION. RETURN IS DEFINED AS NET OPERATING INCOME AFTER TAXES PLUS INTEREST DURING CONSTRUCTION.

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TABLE 20 --RATE OF RETURN ON UTILITY RATE BASE FOR REPORTING TELEPHONE CARRIERS
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- 1/ IN MANY STATES THE STATUTORY RATE BASE DIFFERS FROM THAT USED IN THE PRESENT CALCULATIONS. THE ALLOWANCE FOR INCOME TAXES DIFFERS AMONG THE VARIOUS JURISDICTIONS AS DOES THE TREATMENT OF CERTAIN OTHER ITEMS (E.G. WORKING CAPITAL, AND MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES, WHICH ARE OMITTED IN THE ABOVE CALCULATIONS). FURTHERMORE SINCE THERE IS NO GENERALLY ACCEPTED ALLOWABLE RATE OF RETURN SOME OF THE VARIABILITY IN RATES OF RETURN AMONG COMPANIES IS DUE TO JURISDICTIONAL DIFFERENCES. FOR THESE REASONS THE ABOVE RATE OF RETURN STATISTICS ARE INTENDED FOR USE ONLY AS TREND INDICATORS AND NOT FOR USE IN EVALUATION OF COMPANY PERFORMANCE OR REASONABLENESS OF EARNINGS.
- 2/ THIS COMPANY WAS NOT REQUIRED TO FILE WITH THE COMMISSION FOR THIS YEAR.
- 3/ MID PENN TELEPHONE COMPANY AND SOUTH PENN TELEPHONE COMPANY HAVE MERGED. THE SOUTH PENN VALUES FOR 1971 REPRESENT ONLY SOUTH PENN TELEPHONE COMPANY WHILE THE MID PENN VALUES FOR 1972 REPRESENT THE COMBINATION OF SOUTH PENN AND MID PENN.

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TABLE 21 - LIST OF DOMESTIC AND OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS REPORTING TO THE COMMISSION FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1972 WHOSE REPORTS WERE USED IN THE STATISTICAL TABULATIONS

NAME OF CARRIERS	HEADQUARTERS	TYPE OF CARRIER	TYPE OF REPORT FILED 1/
CABLE & WIRELESS-WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL, INC	SAN JUAN P R	OVERSEAS	ANNUAL
ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS INC	NEW YORK N Y	OVERSEAS	ANNUAL MONTHLY
RCA GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC	NEW YORK N Y	OVERSEAS	ANNUAL, MONTHLY
TRT TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION 2/	BOSTON MASS	OVERSEAS	ANNUAL, MONTHLY
UNITED STATES-LIBERIA RADIO CORPORATION	AKRON OHIO	OVERSEAS	ANNUAL
WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL, INC	NEW YORK, N Y	OVERSEAS	ANNUAL, MONTHLY
WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO	NEW YORK, N Y	DOMESTIC	ANNUAL, MONTHLY

NOTE - IN ADDITION TO THE ABOVE COMPANIES, TELEPHONE CARRIERS, FOR WHICH DETAILED DATA ARE TABULATED IN TABLE 16, HEREIN HAVE SUBSTANTIAL AMOUNTS OF TELEGRAPH REVENUES.

1/ TELEGRAPH CARRIERS SUBJECT TO ALL OF THE COMMON CARRIER PROVISIONS OF THE COMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1934 AS AMENDED, AND WHOSE ANNUAL OPERATING REVENUES EXCEED \$50,000, ARE REQUIRED TO FILE ANNUAL REPORTS. THOSE CARRIERS WHOSE ANNUAL OPERATING REVENUES EXCEED \$250,000 ARE ALSO REQUIRED TO FILE MONTHLY REPORTS OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES.

2/ ON SEPT. 11, 1972, TROPICAL RADIO TELEGRAPH COMPANY CHANGED ITS NAME TO TRT TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION.

TABLE 22 -- AVERAGES AND RATIOS COMPUTED FROM SELECTED DATA SUBMITTED BY DOMESTIC AND OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1972

ITEM	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH CARRIER	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS
BOOK COST OF COMMUNICATION PLANT		
RATIO OF OPERATING REVENUES TO AVERAGE NET BOOK COST OF COMMUNICATION PLANT	48 32%	77 27%
RATIO OF DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION RESERVES TO GROSS BOOK COST OF COMMUNICATION PLANT DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION CHARGES	28 76%	28 46%
RATIO TO AVERAGE GROSS BOOK COST OF COMMUNICATION PLANT	5 62%	5 74%
RATIO TO OPERATING REVENUES	16 74%	10 10%
RATIO TO TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE DEDUCTIONS (EXCLUDING OPERATING TAXES)	20 22%	13 43%
RATIO OF MAINTENANCE EXPENSES TO TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE DEDUCTIONS (EXCLUDING OPERATING TAXES)	13 91%	8 59%
RATIO OF CONDUCTING OPERATIONS EXPENSES TO TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE DEDUCTIONS (EXCLUDING OPERATING TAXES)	53 42%	58 93%
TAXES		
RATIO TO OPERATING REVENUES	4 42%	9 83%
RATIO TO TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE DEDUCTIONS (INCLUDING OPERATING TAXES) AND INCOME TAXES	5 07%	11 63%
OPERATING INCOME (BEFORE FEDERAL INCOME TAXES)		
RATIO TO AVERAGE NET BOOK COST OF COMMUNICATION PLANT	6 17%	16 03%
RATIO TO OPERATING REVENUES	12 77%	20 74%
OPERATING INCOME (AFTER FEDERAL INCOME TAXES)		
RATIO TO AVERAGE NET BOOK COST OF COMMUNICATION PLANT	6 17%	11 99%
RATIO TO OPERATING REVENUES	12 77%	15 52%
WIRE MILEAGE		
PERCENT IN CABLE	83 37%	13 33%
PERCENT IN AERIAL WIRE	16 63%	86 67%
AVERAGE COMPENSATION PER EMPLOYEE PER ANNUM 1	\$ 11 236 23	\$ 11 813 96
COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES		
RATIO TO OPERATING REVENUES	32 60%	31 26%
RATIO TO TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE DEDUCTIONS (EXCLUDING OPERATING TAXES)	39 37%	41 87%

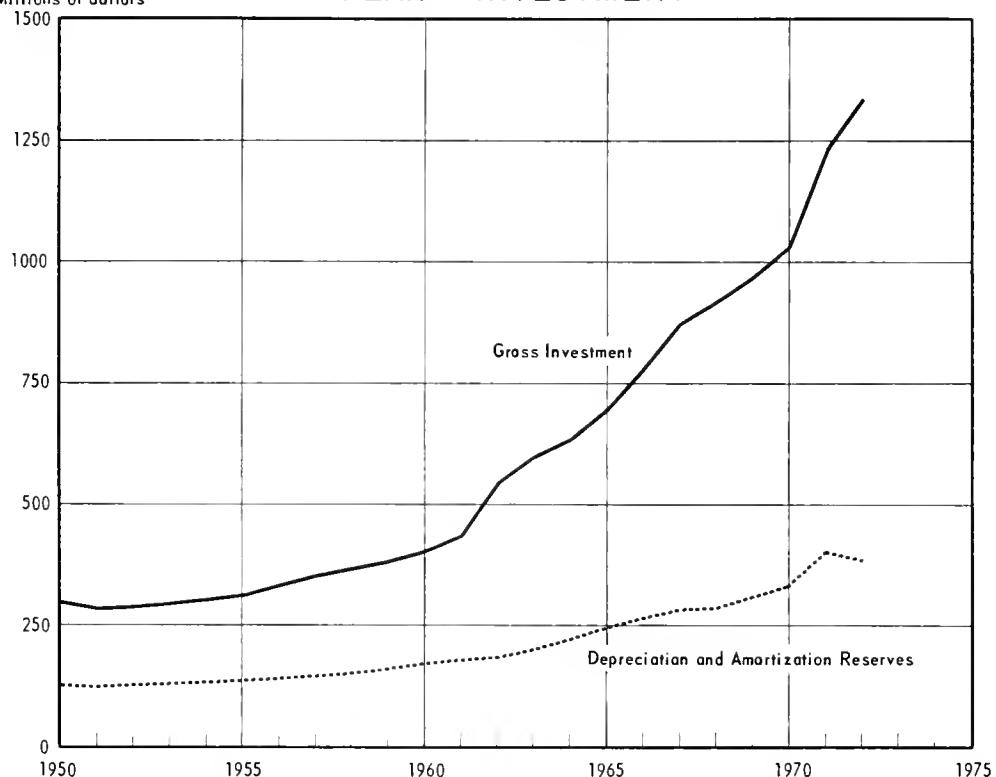
NOTE - FOR BASIC DATA USED IN COMPUTING THE AVERAGES AND RATIOS IN THIS TABLE REFER TO TABLE 34

1/ BASED ON THE NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF OCTOBER

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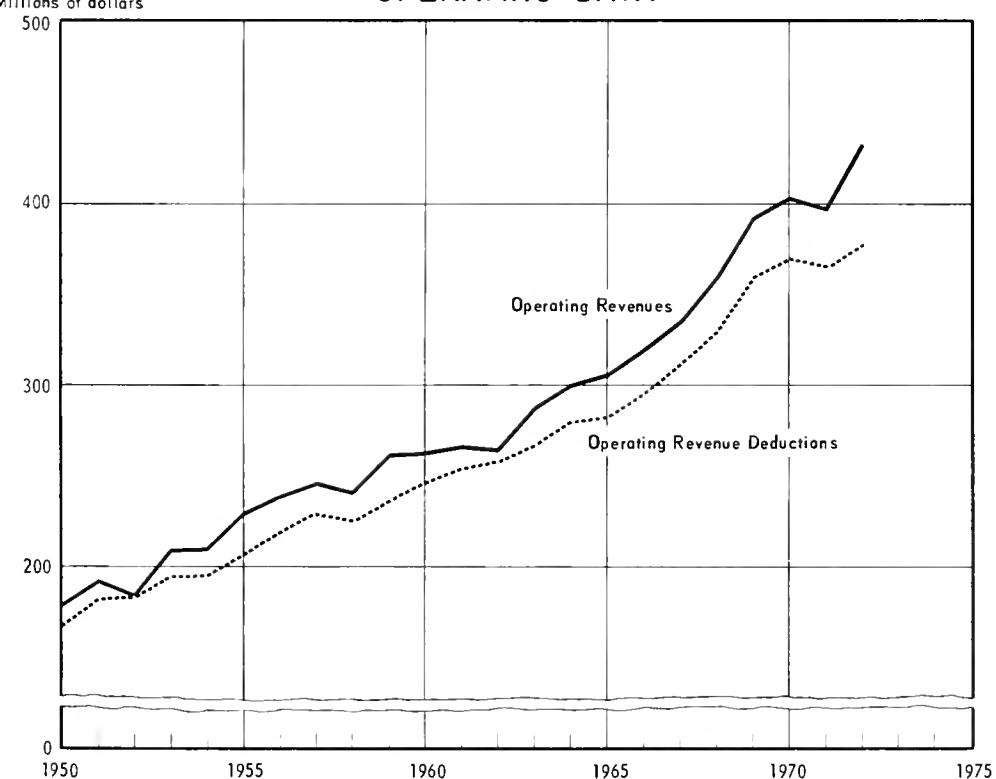
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PLANT INVESTMENT



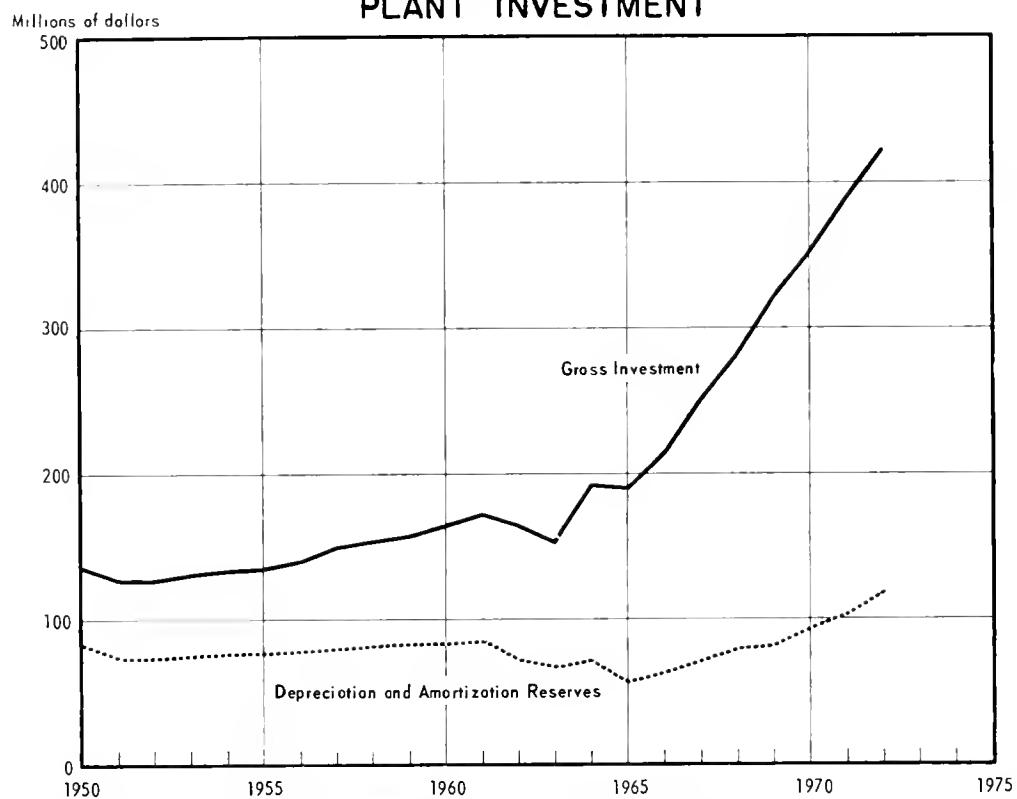
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OPERATING DATA

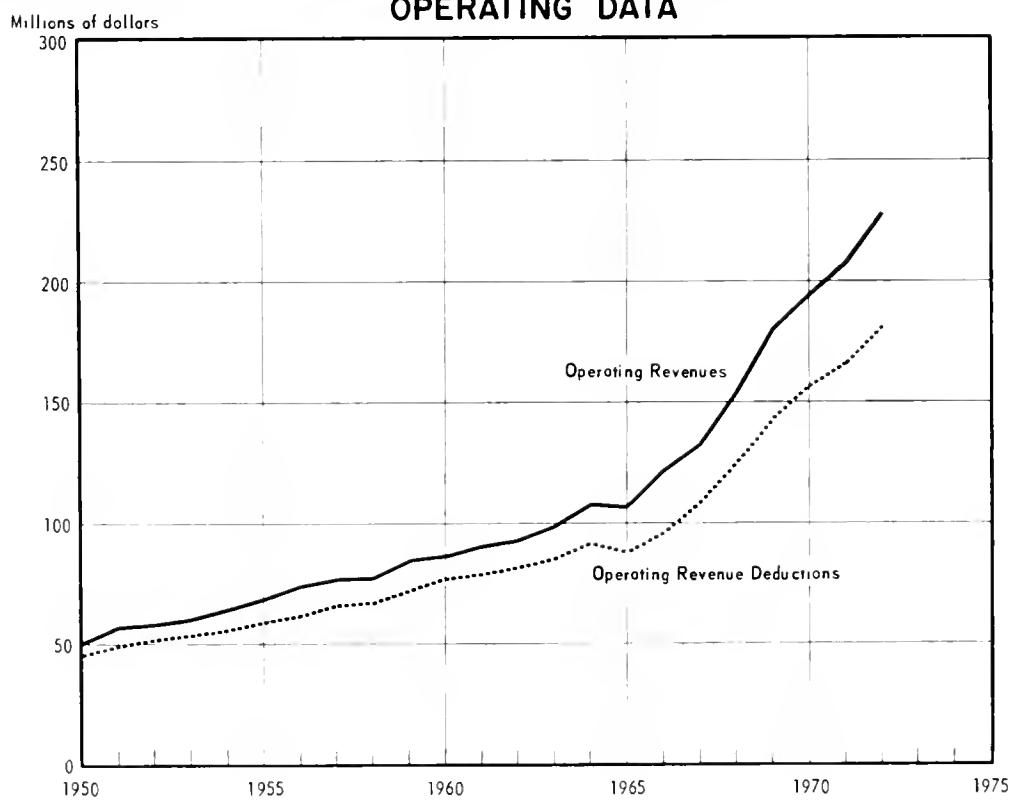


DEVELOPMENT OF OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS

PLANT INVESTMENT



OPERATING DATA



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YEAR	NUMBER OF CARRIERS			BOOK COST OF COMMUNICATION PLANT		
	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH 1	TOTAL TELEGRAPH	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH	TOTAL TELEGRAPH
1937	2	13	14	\$387,749	\$148,082	\$535,831
1938	2	13	14	387,897	147,747	535,644
1939	2	13	14	388,837	146,236	535,073
1940	2	13	14	375,021	142,015	517,036
1941	2	13	14	380,501	141,292	521,793
1942	2	12	13	384,352	139,360	523,712
1943	2	12	13	366,347	138,436	504,783
1944	1	11	11	358,882	136,329	495,211
1945	1	11	11	357,784	137,623	495,407
1946	1	12	12	361,618	129,147	490,765
1947	1	12	12	314,275	132,534	446,809
1948	1	12	12	310,295	135,626	445,921
1949	1	12	12	306,316	134,332	440,648
1950	1	11	11	294,451	136,168	430,619
1951	1	11	11	284,293	127,310	411,603
1952	1	10	10	286,372	127,101	413,473
1953	1	10	10	289,448	131,168	420,616
1954	1	10	10	300,126	133,667	433,793
1955	1	10	10	310,968	135,178	446,146
1956	1	10	10	332,727	139,818	472,545
1957	1	9	9	350,860	149,439	500,299
1958	1	9	9	364,498	154,438	518,936
1959	1	9	9	380,216	157,557	537,773
1960	1	9	9	398,023	163,798	561,821
1961	1	9	9	434,933	172,050	606,983
1962	1	9	9	541,419	163,360	704,779
1963	1	10	10	596,587	153,465	750,052
1964	1	8	9	634,636	191,412	826,048
1965	1	6 2/	7	688,757	189,242 2/	877,999
1966	1	6	7	778,810	213,359	992,169
1967	1	6	7	871,425	250,722	1,122,147
1968	1	6	7	916,712	282,412	1,199,124
1969	1	6	7	968,401	320,629	1,289,030
1970	1	6	7	1,029,149	351,674	1,380,823
1971	1	6	7	1,235,248	389,252	1,624,500
1972	1	6	7	1,335,438	422,243	1,757,681

YEAR	DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION RESERVES					
	AMOUNT			PERCENT OF BOOK COST OF PLANT		
	(THOUSANDS)					
YEAR	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH	TOTAL TELEGRAPH	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH	TOTAL TELEGRAPH
1937	\$80,678	\$79,517	\$160,195	20.81	53.70	29.90
1938	83,827	81,263	165,090	21.61	55.00	30.82
1939	87,569	81,860	169,429	22.52	55.98	31.66
1940	97,746	81,240	178,986	26.06	57.21	34.62
1941	114,174	82,723	196,897	30.01	58.55	37.73
1942	120,863	83,807	204,670	31.45	60.14	39.08
1943	153,730	83,909	237,639	41.96	60.61	47.08
1944	152,795	84,550	237,345	42.58	62.02	47.93
1945	157,243	86,197	243,440	43.95	62.63	49.14
1946	161,826	76,769	238,595	44.75	59.44	48.62
1947	142,664	79,426	222,090	45.39	59.93	49.71
1948	136,267	82,087	218,354	43.92	60.52	48.97
1949	133,979	82,897	216,876	43.74	61.71	49.22
1950	128,227	82,757	210,984	43.55	60.78	49.00
1951	123,825	73,929	197,754	43.56	58.07	48.04
1952	126,580	72,923	199,503	44.20	57.37	48.25
1953	128,776	75,348	204,124	44.49	57.44	48.53
1954	130,183	75,987	206,170	43.38	56.85	47.53
1955	135,826	76,432	212,258	43.68	56.54	47.58
1956	141,490	77,629	219,119	42.52	55.52	46.37
1957	147,334	80,069	227,403	41.99	53.58	45.45
1958	149,693	82,018	231,711	41.07	53.11	44.65
1959	157,382	83,679	241,061	41.39	53.11	44.83
1960	168,605	82,610	251,215	42.36	50.43	44.71
1961	177,850	85,210	263,060	40.89	49.53	43.34
1962	183,099	72,394	255,493	33.82	44.32	36.25
1963	198,930	66,939	265,869	33.34	43.62	35.45
1964	221,783	71,452	293,235	34.95	37.33	35.50
1965	242,974	56,584 2/	299,558	35.28	29.90 2/	34.12
1966	262,843	62,623	325,466	33.75	29.35	32.80
1967	279,647	70,561	350,208	32.09	28.14	31.21
1968	284,677	79,225	363,902	31.05	28.05	30.35
1969	307,518	81,351	388,869	31.76	25.37	30.17
1970	331,360	93,355	424,715	32.20	26.55	30.76
1971	399,502	102,237	501,739	32.34	26.26	30.89
1972	384,114	120,186	504,300	28.76	28.46	28.69

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YEAR	CAPITAL STOCK			FUNDED DEBT 3		
	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH 4	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH 4	TOTAL TELEGRAPH	(THOUSANDS)		
1937	\$106 279	\$66 416	\$172 695	\$166 774	\$38 501	\$205 275
1938	106 279	60 090	166 369	168 284	39 153	207 437
1939	106 279	60 091	166 370	169 982	14 140	184 122
1940	109 874	53 565	163 439	88 881	1 227	90 108
1941	109 871	52 665	162 536	86 528	1 248	87 776
1942	109 871	51 981	161 852	90 336	1 222	91 558
1943	106 536	54 977	161 513	90 191	1 195	91 386
1944	104 836	34 977	139 813	90 061	1 121	91 182
1945	104 836	35 397	140 233	90 981	1 026	92 007
1946	104 836	36 794	141 630	90 937	2 521	93 458
1947	104 836	36 794	141 630	95 611	5 174	100 785
1948	104 836	36 794	141 630	80 408	7 236	87 644
1949	104 836	35 869	140 705	77 261	7 821	85 082
1950	104 836	35 869	140 705	55 922	8 807	64 729
1951	104 836	31 437	136 273	51 123	8 419	59 542
1952	5 12 301	31 437	43 738	48 130	7 663	55 793
1953	12 311	31 437	43 748	44 414	6 915	51 329
1954	12 709	31 437	44 146	44 106	5 616	49 722
1955	15 554	31 437	46 991	45 302	5 406	50 708
1956	15 578	30 674	46 252	43 278	6 324	49 602
1957	15 582	30 674	46 256	40 992	8 678	49 670
1958	15 746	30 674	46 420	39 426	3 731	43 157
1959	15 948	30 674	46 622	36 880	3 195	40 075
1960	15 996	30 674	46 670	40 281	2 673	42 954
1961	18 721	30 674	49 395	34 102	2 028	36 130
1962	18 727	30 674	49 401	148 937	2 229	151 166
1963	18 740	31 374	50 114	171 341	11 533	182 874
1964	18 763	24 207	42 970	170 183	35 634	205 817
1965	53 802	10 953 2	64 755	169 070	45 059 2	214 129
1966	91 422	10 953	102 375	201 466	75 884	277 350
1967	141 511	11 146	152 657	226 225	56 228	282 453
1968	138 126	11 151	149 277	225 072	62 613	287 685
1969	138 661	11 152	149 813	245 020	65 798	310 818
1970	69 375	11 222	80 597	172 328	77 279	249 607
1971	68 000	11 026	79 026	332 506	118 658	451 164
1972	66 525	10 006	76 531	342 448	115 097	457 545
YEAR	TOTAL SURPLUS			TOTAL CAPITALIZATION		
	(THOUSANDS)			(THOUSANDS)		
DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH 4	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH 4	TOTAL TELEGRAPH	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH 4	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH 4	TOTAL TELEGRAPH	
1937	\$64 539	\$11 740	\$76 279	\$337 592	\$116 657	\$454 249
1938	58 330	13 063	71 393	332 893	112 306	445 199
1939	55 505	7 335	48 170	331 766	66 896	398 662
1940	114 256	7 674	121 930	313 011	62 466	375 477
1941	104 333	3 289	107 622	300 732	57 202	357 934
1942	107 280	6 413	113 693	307 487	59 616	367 103
1943	57 715	4 860	62 575	254 442	61 032	315 474
1944	63 820	20 786	84 606	258 717	56 884	315 601
1945	56 233	24 685	80 918	252 050	61 108	313 158
1946	47 328	19 213	66 541	243 101	58 528	301 629
1947	47 453	15 594	63 047	247 900	57 562	305 462
1948	48 105	13 723	61 828	203 349	57 753	291 102
1949	45 607	10 674	56 281	227 704	54 364	282 068
1950	52 084	14 989	67 073	212 842	59 665	272 507
1951	54 670	19 028	73 698	210 629	58 884	269 513
1952	5 144 793	20 599	165 392	205 224	59 699	264 923
1953	155 470	22 362	177 832	212 195	60 714	272 909
1954	164 719	24 420	189 139	221 534	61 473	283 007
1955	189 563	26 552	216 115	250 419	63 395	313 814
1956	197 617	23 567	221 184	256 473	60 565	317 038
1957	204 957	26 447	231 404	261 531	65 799	327 330
1958	211 240	33 334	244 574	266 412	67 739	334 151
1959	221 226	37 737	258 963	274 054	71 606	345 660
1960	223 600	43 391	266 991	279 877	76 738	356 615
1961	266 625	49 645	316 470	319 448	82 547	401 995
1962	266 784	54 225	321 009	434 448	87 128	521 576
1963	263 792	63 079	326 871	453 873	105 986	559 859
1964	270 411	71 648	342 059	459 357	131 489	590 846
1965	277 549	80 526 2	358 075	500 421	136 538 2	636 959
1966	284 441	92 176	376 619	577 329	179 015	756 344
1967	290 620	147 328	437 948	658 356	214 702	873 058
1968	298 008	160 879	458 887	661 206	234 643	895 849
1969	366 916	181 534	548 450	750 597	258 484	1 009 081
1970	501 365	219 190	720 555	743 068	307 691	1 050 759
1971	546 822	153 377	802 199	449 328	383 061	1 332 389
1972	63 656	279 056	902 712	1 032 627	404 159	1 436 786

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YEAR	RATIO OF FUNDED DEBT TO TOTAL CAPITALIZATION (PERCENT)			NUMBER OF REVENUE MESSAGES TRANSMITTED 6/ (THOUSANDS)		
	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH 4	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH 4	TOTAL TELEGRAPH	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH	TOTAL TELEGRAPH
	1937	49.40	33.00	45.19	200,711	19,768
1938	50.55	34.86	46.59	185,639	18,306	203,945
1939	51.24	21.14	46.18	189,055	18,725	207,780
1940	28.40	1.96	24.00	191,645	16,619	208,264
1941	28.77	2.18	24.52	210,928	16,511	227,439
1942	29.38	2.05	24.94	223,148	13,020	236,168
1943	35.45	1.96	28.97	231,692	15,991	247,683
1944	34.81	1.97	28.89	7/ 225,462	17,266	242,728
1945	36.10	1.68	29.38	236,169	21,047	257,216
1946	37.41	4.31	30.98	212,072	22,272	234,344
1947	38.57	8.99	32.99	213,780	23,960	237,740
1948	34.46	12.53	30.11	191,013	22,136	213,149
1949	33.93	14.39	30.16	175,323	20,951	196,274
1950	26.27	14.76	23.75	178,904	22,578	201,482
1951	24.27	14.30	22.09	180,151	24,043	204,194
1952	23.45	12.84	21.06	151,712	23,880	175,592
1953	20.93	11.39	18.81	162,188	23,725	185,913
1954	19.91	9.14	17.57	152,582	24,357	176,939
1955	18.09	8.53	16.16	153,910	25,642	179,552
1956	16.87	10.44	15.65	151,600	27,348	178,948
1957	15.67	13.19	15.17	143,947	27,838	171,785
1958	14.80	5.51	12.92	131,867	26,875	158,742
1959	13.46	4.46	11.59	130,993	28,133	159,126
1960	14.39	3.48	12.04	124,319	28,278	152,597
1961	10.68	2.46	8.99	117,263	28,345	145,608
1962	34.28	2.56	28.98	112,487	28,568	141,055
1963	37.75	10.88	32.66	104,220	29,390	133,610
1964	37.05	27.10	34.83	97,448	30,102	127,550
1965	33.79	2/ 33.00	33.62	94,302	2/ 28,830	123,132
1966	34.90	42.39	36.67	92,682	29,925	122,607
1967	34.36	26.19	32.35	89,078	29,953	119,031
1968	34.04	26.68	32.11	85,645	30,705	116,350
1969	32.64	25.46	30.80	77,059	32,235	109,294
1970	23.19	25.12	23.75	69,680	32,241	101,921
1971	35.03	30.98	33.86	44,103	31,049	75,152
1972	33.16	28.48	31.85	39,826	29,098	68,924
YEAR	MESSAGE TRANSMISSION REVENUES (THOUSANDS)			TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES (THOUSANDS)		
	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH	TOTAL TELEGRAPH	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH	TOTAL TELEGRAPH
	1937	\$100,961	\$27,983	\$128,944	\$117,228	\$29,648
1938	91,167	25,034	116,201	106,813	26,895	133,708
1939	93,823	28,532	122,355	109,899	30,612	140,511
1940	97,906	29,270	127,176	114,587	32,087	146,674
1941	111,976	33,040	145,016	130,519	36,022	166,541
1942	127,400	31,844	159,244	145,789	35,812	181,601
1943	150,435	34,717	185,152	166,953	40,254	207,207
1944	155,278	41,806	197,084	173,207	46,981	220,188
1945	163,415	44,087	207,502	182,048	49,879	231,927
1946	156,527	40,778	197,305	175,536	45,199	220,735
1947	179,283	41,058	220,341	199,654	45,579	245,233
1948	160,949	41,402	202,351	183,429	46,348	229,777
1949	147,289	41,101	188,390	171,393	46,595	217,988
1950	152,248	42,470	194,718	177,994	50,333	228,327
1951	161,739	46,466	208,205	192,089	56,949	249,038
1952	153,087	44,916	198,003	184,336	57,606	241,942
1953	174,650	46,094	220,744	208,578	59,727	268,305
1954	173,819	48,560	222,379	209,635	63,811	273,446
1955	188,855	50,493	239,348	228,816	68,050	296,866
1956	192,474	54,063	246,537	238,362	73,472	311,834
1957	194,249	54,832	249,081	245,549	76,845	322,394
1958	185,156	54,631	239,787	240,729	77,281	318,010
1959	194,012	59,951	253,963	260,849	84,377	345,226
1960	189,789	62,986	252,775	262,365	86,976	349,341
1961	187,819	62,517	250,336	265,727	90,048	355,775
1962	181,474	61,540	243,014	264,119	92,372	356,491
1963	176,654	61,978	238,632	286,822	97,822	384,644
1964	176,315	64,410	240,725	299,410	107,560	406,970
1965	174,263	57,029 2/	231,292	305,615	106,696 2/	412,311
1966	177,257	56,639	233,896	319,329	121,516	440,845
1967	171,933	56,855	228,788	334,983	132,427	467,410
1968	174,328	57,990	232,318	358,202	153,547	511,749
1969	181,407	61,148	242,555	391,339	179,993	571,332
1970	176,785	60,974	237,759	402,456	193,808	596,264
1971	117,342	58,296	175,638	396,841	207,394	604,235
1972	103,074	53,877	156,951	431,762	227,588	659,350

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TABLE 23 SELECTED DATA SHOWING DEVELOPMENT THROUGH THE YEARS 1937-1972 INCLUSIVE OF PRINCIPAL DOMESTIC AND OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS FILING ANNUAL REPORTS WITH THE COMMISSION -CONTINUED

YEAR	OPERATING REVENUE DEDUCTIONS 8/			OPERATING RATIO		
	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH	TOTAL TELEGRAPH	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH	TOTAL TELEGRAPH
1937	\$111 614	\$25 511	\$137 125	95 21	86 05	93 36
1938	105 996	25 577	131 573	99 24	95 10	98 40
1939	106 995	26 518	133 513	97 36	86 63	95 02
1940	110 856	27 035	137 891	96 74	84 26	94 01
1941	121 841	28 425	150 266	93 35	78 91	90 23
1942	134 031	28 423	162 454	91 93	79 37	89 46
1943	159 020	29 450	188 470	95 25	73 16	90 96
1944	160 169	34 340	194 509	92 47	73 09	88 34
1945	174 848	37 905	212 753	96 04	75 99	91 73
1946	183 366	44 999	228 365	104 46	99 56	103 46
1947	185 314	49 358	234 672	92 82	108 29	95 69
1948	185 362	47 435	232 797	101 05	102 35	101 31
1949	173 505	45 959	219 464	101 23	98 64	100 68
1950	167 280	45 226	212 506	93 98	89 85	93 07
1951	182 023	49 087	231 110	94 76	86 19	92 80
1952	183 395	51 557	234 952	99 49	89 50	97 11
1953	193 863	53 217	247 080	92 95	89 10	92 09
1954	194 657	54 654	249 311	92 86	85 65	91 17
1955	206 024	58 366	264 390	90 04	85 77	89 06
1956	219 231	60 862	280 093	91 97	82 84	89 82
1957	228 219	66 259	294 478	92 94	86 22	91 34
1958	225 146	67 044	292 190	93 53	86 75	91 88
1959	235 762	71 726	307 488	90 38	85 01	89 07
1960	246 768	76 885	323 653	94 06	88 40	92 65
1961	253 374	78 379	331 753	95 35	87 04	93 25
1962	257 139	82 104	339 243	97 36	88 88	95 16
1963	266 660	85 102	351 762	92 97	87 00	91 45
1964	278 324	91 109	369 433	92 96	84 71	90 78
1965	281 835	87 374	369 209	92 22	81 89	89 55
1966	294 435	96 133	390 568	92 20	79 11	88 60
1967	310 791	107 565	418 356	92 78	81 23	89 51
1968	328 622	123 997	452 619	91 74	80 76	88 45
1969	358 445	142 413	500 858	91 59	79 12	87 66
1970	368 446	155 707	524 153	91 55	80 34	87 91
1971	365 127	165 584	530 711	92 01	79 84	87 83
1972	376 641	180 398	557 039	87 23	79 27	84 48
OPERATING INCOME AFTER RECORDED PROVISIONS FOR FEDERAL INCOME TAXES 9/						
YEAR	(THOUSANDS)			(THOUSANDS)		
	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH	TOTAL TELEGRAPH	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH	TOTAL TELEGRAPH
1937	\$5 614	\$3 607	\$9 221	\$523	\$2 936	\$2 413
1938	817	1 099	1 916	-5 248	-27	-5 275
1939	2,903	3 570	6 473	-3 152	2 074	-1 078
1940	3 731	3 693	7 424	372	3 598	3 970
1941	7 228	4 396	11 624	4 016	3 814	7 830
1942	7 310	2 789	10 099	3 836	4 525	8 361
1943	4 697	4 380	9 077	746	6 508	5 762
1944	10 771	5 658	16 429	5 117	7 454	12 571
1945	7 200	4 784	11 984	7 834	7 907	73
1946	7 830	.29	-7 859	-10 030	836	-9 194
1947	12 164	4 042	8 122	906	-2 715	-1 809
1948	1 932	1 607	-3 539	1 265	778	487
1949	2 112	111	-2 001	3 468	619	-2 849
1950	8 664	3 804	12 468	7 353	4 538	11 891
1951	6 059	4 357	10 416	4 711	4 526	9 237
1952	742	3 599	4 341	724	4 393	3 669
1953	8 972	2 248	11 220	13 242	3 390	16 632
1954	8 770	4 357	13 127	4 480	5 333	9 813
1955	13 179	3 402	16 581	10 331	5 020	15 351
1956	12 465	6 840	19 305	12 060	6 186	18 246
1957	11 336	5 216	16 552	12 911	5 921	18 832
1958	10 608	5 371	15 979	11 062	6 605	17 667
1959	14 087	6 837	20 924	14 755	8 328	23 083
1960	11 247	5 580	16 827	10 205	7 991	18 196
1961	9 057	6 743	15 800	11 833	8 467	20 300
1962	10 709	6 185	16 894	10 405	8 118	18 523
1963	19 162	9 108	28 270	10 24 931	10 -8 638	16 293
1964	22 286	11 097	33 383	16 974	9 158	26 132
1965	23 780	12 874	37 654	17 833	12 13 110	30 943
1966	24 894	18 833	43 727	20 712	14 779	35 491
1967	24 192	18 078	42 270	22 062	19 324	41 386
1968	29 580	21 027	50 607	21 569	21 212	42 781
1969	32 893	25 368	58 261	22 224	24 832	47 556
1970	34 044	26 460	60 504	26 074	30 458	56 532
1971	31 743	29 726	61 469	23 752	29 931	53 683
1972	55 125	35 322	90 447	40 083	34 122	74 205

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YEAR	DIVISIONS DECLARED (THOUSANDS)			MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE		
	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH	TOTAL TELEGRAPH	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH	TOTAL TELEGRAPH
1937	\$1,568	\$2,903	\$4,471	95,339	448,074	8,899	456,973
1938	0	450	450	95,299	452,127	8,720	460,847
1939	0	351	351	95,289	453,214	8,909	462,123
1940	1,045	1,825	2,870	95,288	449,482	8,456	457,938
1941	2,090	3,171	5,261	95,287	459,062	8,490	467,552
1942	2,090	2,136	4,226	95,290	467,815	8,571	476,386
1943	2,090	1,731	3,821	95,365	480,144	8,603	488,747
1944	2,167	7,046	9,213	91,136	474,960	8,492	483,452
1945	2,433	870	3,303	90,700	481,035	9,297	490,332
1946	0	3,020	3,020	90,739	429,673	9,306	438,979
1947	0	1,387	1,387	90,748	386,984	9,290	396,274
1948	1,228	708	1,936	90,362	385,536	9,235	394,771
1949	0	358	358	87,784	372,952	5,783	378,735
1950	2,459	892	3,351	87,757	369,415	5,823	375,238
1951	3,381	363	3,744	78,181	369,795	5,594	375,389
1952	3,689	503	4,192	77,880	372,914	5,546	378,460
1953	3,690	400	4,090	77,835	375,020	5,595	380,615
1954	3,730	1,284	5,014	77,852	383,957	3,787	387,744
1955	5,695	1,534	7,229	75,764	388,008	5,454	393,462
1956	6,226	1,484	7,710	75,766	388,281	5,467	393,748
1957	7,165	1,784	8,949	75,713	391,143	6,051	397,194
1958	7,505	2,120	9,625	75,826	398,200	13,805	412,005
1959	7,941	2,013	9,954	75,129	399,424	13,892	413,316
1960	8,950	1,423	10,373	71,451	416,778	13,952	430,730
1961	9,704	1,620	11,324	71,450	417,826	14,151	431,977
1962	10,484	3,620	14,104	54,646	418,224	10,843	429,067
1963	10,490	2,991	13,481	42,281	412,297	5,692	417,989
1964	10,501	3,532	14,033	38,253	411,498	2,309	413,807
1965	11,085	2,030	14,175	8,362	410,017	2,14	410,031
1966	13,935	3,121	17,056	8,362	404,664	14	404,678
1967	15,917	8,549	24,466	8,362	403,882	14	403,896
1968	16,776	7,617	24,393	8,362	405,807	14	405,821
1969	18,076	7,610	25,686	271	406,910	7	406,917
1970	19,681	6,700	26,381	271	400,008	7	400,015
1971	19,702	16,000	35,702	282	403,123	7	403,130
1972	27,033	12,627	39,660	282	401,299	6	401,305

YEAR	MILES OF AERIAL WIRE			NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF OCTOBER 11		
	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH	TOTAL TELEGRAPH	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH	TOTAL TELEGRAPH
1937	1,827,404	7,239	1,834,643	64,084	8,428	72,512
1938	1,826,636	7,239	1,833,875	57,190	8,229	65,419
1939	1,823,800	8,710	1,832,510	57,513	8,176	65,689
1940	1,819,799	8,224	1,828,023	59,670	8,083	67,753
1941	1,822,343	7,344	1,829,687	65,363	8,206	73,569
1942	1,826,441	7,419	1,833,860	64,674	7,232	71,906
1943	1,792,303	8,854	1,801,157	61,481	7,898	69,379
1944	1,827,602	9,090	1,836,692	61,037	7,591	68,628
1945	1,766,264	8,865	1,775,129	63,446	9,579	73,025
1946	1,614,373	9,183	1,623,556	57,644	11,557	69,201
1947	1,355,747	9,149	1,364,896	53,572	12,404	65,976
1948	1,246,475	8,532	1,255,007	48,967	11,755	60,722
1949	1,065,227	7,409	1,072,636	41,660	11,150	52,810
1950	928,905	7,136	936,041	40,482	10,759	51,241
1951	854,955	7,136	862,089	40,319	11,081	51,400
1952	821,136	6,859	827,995	39,853	11,540	51,393
1953	776,179	6,859	783,038	38,957	11,686	50,643
1954	744,913	6,859	751,772	37,009	11,814	48,823
1955	711,788	6,686	718,474	37,785	11,844	49,629
1956	699,444	6,680	706,124	37,754	12,11,306	49,060
1957	686,938	6,680	693,618	36,467	11,502	47,969
1958	677,018	6,793	683,811	33,620	11,182	44,802
1959	658,626	6,845	665,471	33,151	11,239	44,390
1960	646,691	6,470	653,161	32,655	11,011	43,666
1961	626,242	6,507	632,749	31,425	10,734	42,159
1962	625,275	6,506	631,781	30,021	10,522	40,543
1963	597,803	6,254	604,057	28,015	9,968	37,983
1964	572,286	6,225	578,511	26,607	9,041	35,648
1965	554,365	39,2	554,404	26,179	7,581,2	33,760
1966	486,025	39	486,064	27,198	7,437	34,635
1967	424,842	39	424,881	26,524	7,541	34,065
1968	347,412	39	347,451	26,502	7,727	34,229
1969	276,218	39	276,257	25,164	7,938	33,102
1970	220,812	39	220,851	24,293	7,599	31,892
1971	180,054	39	180,093	20,566	7,052	27,618
1972	80,027	39	80,066	17,266	6,547	23,813

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TABLE 23 - SELECTED DATA SHOWING DEVELOPMENT THROUGH THE YEARS 1937-1972 INCLUSIVE OF PRINCIPAL DOMESTIC AND OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS FILING ANNUAL REPORTS WITH THE COMMISSION -CONTINUED

YEAR	TOTAL COMPENSATION (THOUSANDS)			AVERAGE COMPENSATION PER EMPLOYEE PER ANNUM		
	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH	TOTAL TELEGRAPH	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH	TOTAL TELEGRAPH
1937	\$77 745	\$12 302	\$90,047	\$1 213	\$1,460	\$1 242
1938	70 124	12 383	82,507	1 226	1,505	1 261
1939	71 287	12 663	83 950	1 239	1,549	1 278
1940	74 736	12 809	87 545	1 252	1,585	1 292
1941	84 267	13 723	97 990	1 289	1,672	1 332
1942	92 450	14 553	107,003	1 429	2,012	1 488
1943	111 872	16 533	128 405	1 833	2 178	1 871
1944	112 553	20 002	132 555	1 831	2 533	1 911
1945	126 662	25 153	151 815	1 996	2 626	2,079
1946	137 293	30 497	167 790	2 382	2 639	2 425
1947	138 976	33 678	172 654	2 594	2 715	2 617
1948	140 901	31 717	172 618	2 877	2 698	2 843
1949	125 871	31 269	157 140	3,021	2 804	2 976
1950	116 937	30 240	147,177	2 889	2 811	2 872
1951	127 818	33 120	160 938	3 170	2 989	3 131
1952	126 974	36 055	163 029	3 186	3 124	3 172
1953	139 489	37 507	176 996	3 581	3 210	3 495
1954	137 521	39 241	176 762	3 716	3 322	3 620
1955	143 289	40 548	183 837	3 792	3 424	3 704
1956	153 625	41 288	194 913	4 069	3 652	3 973
1957	159 157	41 994	201 151	4 364	3 651	4 193
1958	154 032	42 855	196 887	4 582	3 832	4 395
1959	159 842	44 531	204 373	4 822	3 962	4 604
1960	164 524	47 636	212 160	5 038	4 326	4 859
1961	168 278	50 651	218 929	5 605	4 814	5 400
1962	165 856	48 876	214 732	5 278	4 553	5 093
1963	160 650	51 905	212 555	5 734	5 207	5 596
1964	161 129	53 131	214 260	6 056	5 877	6 010
1965	164 793	50 531 2	215 324	6 295	6 665 2	6 378
1966	180 172	52 217	232 389	6 624	7 021	6 710
1967	190 085	55 437	245 522	7 167	7 351	7 207
1968	196 621	59 873	256 494	7 419	7 749	7 493
1969	203 836	65 463	269 299	8 100	8 246	8 135
1970	209 295	71 709	281 004	8 615	9 437	8 811
1971	176 623	72 641	249 264	8 588	10 301	9 025
1972	194 005	77 346	271 351	11 236	11 814	11 395

SOURCE ANNUAL REPORTS, CORRESPONDENCE AND CARRIERS RECORDS

- DEFICIT OR OTHER REVERSE ITEM
- 1. INCLUDES WESTERN UNION'S OCEAN CABLES SYSTEM TO SEPTEMBER 30 1963 AT WHICH TIME IT WAS SOLD TO WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL INC
- 2. THE COMPARABILITY OF 1965 DATA FOR OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS WITH DATA FOR PREVIOUS YEARS IS AFFECTED BY THE FACT THAT DATA REGARDING SOUTH AMERICAN AND MOST CARIBBEAN OPERATIONS OF ALL AMERICA CABLES AND RADIO INC CEASED TO BE REPORTED IN THAT YEAR
- 3. INCLUDES BILLS AND ACCOUNTS PAYABLE TO AFFILIATES IN THE NATURE OF LONG-TERM ADVANCES FROM AFFILIATES
- 4. DATA FOR THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO FOR YEARS 1933-1963 ARE NOT SEGREGABLE BETWEEN DOMESTIC-TELEGRAPH AND OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH OPERATIONS BUT ARE INCLUDED WITH DOMESTIC-TELEGRAPH
- 5. WESTERN UNION'S CAPITAL STOCK WAS CHANGED EFFECTIVE APRIL 22 1952 FROM CLASS A STOCK WITHOUT PAR VALUE TO COMMON STOCK WITH A PAR VALUE OF \$10 PER SHARE. THE CAPITAL STOCK ACCOUNT WAS REDUCED \$92 562 682 REPRESENTING THE EXCESS OF THE STATED VALUE OF THE PREVIOUSLY RECORDED CAPITAL STOCK OVER THE PAR VALUE OF THE PRESENTLY ISSUED COMMON STOCK. BY A TRANSFER TO OTHER CAPITAL SURPLUS
- 6. COMPILED FROM RESPONSES TO TELEGRAPH DIVISION ORDER NO 12 ANNUAL REPORTS AND CORRESPONDENCE REPRESENTS PRINCIPALLY DATA AS ESTIMATED BY REPORTING CARRIERS ON BASIS OF ACTUAL COUNTS FOR TEST PERIODS
- 7. THE NUMBER OF MESSAGES SHOWN FOR YEARS PRIOR TO 1944 INCLUDE PRESS MESSAGES ON AN EQUATED BASIS FOR 1944 AND SUBSEQUENT YEARS FIGURES INCLUDE PRESS MESSAGES ON AN UNEQUATED BASIS
- 8. INCLUDES DEPRECIATION AND OPERATING TAXES
- 9. RECORDED PROVISIONS FOR FEDERAL INCOME TAXES TAKES ENTIRE COMPANY OPERATIONS INTO CONSIDERATION INCLUDING MANUFACTURING OR OTHER NON COMMUNICATION ACTIVITY
- 10. THESE FIGURES ARE AFFECTED BY THE \$18 126 223 LOSS ON THE SALE OF THE WESTERN UNION CABLES SYSTEM RECORDED AS A CABLES LOSS AND THE \$8 250 000 TAX REDUCTION THEREFROM RECORDED AS A DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH GAIN
- 11. 1933-1934 NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT THE END OF JUNE 1935-1945 NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT THE END OF DECEMBER
- 12. EMPLOYMENT FIGURES FOR 1955 INCLUDE AN ESTIMATED 777 EMPLOYEES ASSIGNED TO NON COMMUNICATION ACTIVITIES TRANSFERRED BY A CARRIER TO A NON-REPORTING AFFILIATE PRIOR TO THE REPORTING DATE IN 1956

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TABLE 24 MESSAGE REVENUES OF DOMESTIC AND OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS SHOWN ACCORDING TO CLASS OF MESSAGE
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1972

CLASS OF MESSAGES	ALL TELEGRAPH CARRIERS			DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH CARRIERS	
	NUMBER OF MESSAGES	NUMBER OF WORDS	RESPONDENT'S PORTION OF REVENUES (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF MESSAGES	RESPONDENT'S PORTION OF REVENUES (DOLLARS)
DOMESTIC MESSAGES 1/					
PUBLIC MESSAGES					
FULL RATE	12 811 453	XXXX	58 621,442	12 777 602	58 527 670
DAY LETTER	0	XXXX	0	0	0
NIGHT LETTER	4 171 643	XXXX	7,648,405	4 129,865	7 590,833
TEL(T)EX	689 380	XXXX	1,378,750	689 380	1,378,750
INFOCOM-TGM					
FAST MESSAGE	51 572	XXXX	198,141	51,572	198,141
OVERNIGHT	16 533	XXXX	24,579	16,533	24,579
TCCS - MESSAGE SERVICE					
FAST MESSAGE	2,951,495	XXXX	11,423,367	2,951,495	11,423,367
OVERNIGHT	948 956	XXXX	1,420,943	948,956	1,420,943
PERSONAL OPINION MESSAGES	379 511	XXXX	405,977	379 511	405,977
MAILGRAM	1 391 214	XXXX	1,802,731	1,391,214	1,802,731
LESS MESSAGE DISCOUNT	0	XXXX	23,185	0	23,185
TOTAL PUBLIC MESSAGES	23 411,757	XXXX	82,901,150	23 336,128	82,749,806
U S GOVERNMENT MESSAGES					
OTHER THAN WEATHER					
WEATHER	548 542	XXXX	2,822,059	547,412	2,817,211
LESS MESSAGE DISCOUNT	501	XXXX	2,580	501	2,580
	0	XXXX	4,971	0	4,971
TOTAL U S GOVERNMENT MESSAGES	549 043	XXXX	2,819,668	547,913	2,814,820
PRESS MESSAGES					
MONEY ORDER MESSAGES	165 679	XXXX	1,415,463	163 916	1,402,358
CONTRACT (CAK) MESSAGES	6,386 413	XXXX	2,547,512	6 386,413	2,547,512
NEWS (CND) MESSAGES	9,001	XXXX	35,029	9,001	35,029
	29 576	XXXX	28,014	29 576	28,014
TOTAL DOMESTIC MESSAGES	30,551 469	XXXX	89,746,836	30 472,947	89 577,539
DOMESTIC TRANSMISSION OF TRANSOCEANIC AND MARINE MESSAGES 2					
TRANSOCEANIC MESSAGES					
PUBLIC MESSAGES					
URGENT	13,352 064	XXXX	18,330,831	9 353,082 3	13 496,506 3
ORDINARY				-	
LETTER	102 537	3,346,794	330,751	0	0
GREETING	10,697 942	271,926,829	23,390,750	0	0
	11,769,209	392 905 456	17 825,401	0	0
	219	1,804	239	0	0
TOTAL PUBLIC MESSAGES	22 569 907	668,180,883	41,547 141	0	0
GOVERNMENT MESSAGES					
PRESS MESSAGES	317,546	16 467,714	941 394	0	0
OTHER COMMUTED-RATE MESSAGES	64 316	7 130 683	236,289	0	0
OTHER MESSAGES 4/	25,030	963,169	81,612	0	0
	821 652	20,718,926	2 065,552	0	0
TOTAL TRANSOCEANIC MESSAGES	23 798 451	713 461 375	44 871 968	0	0
MARINE MESSAGES					
PUBLIC MESSAGES					
ORDINARY	948,110	18,778,756	3 536,624	0	0
LETTER	9 655	334,960	29,895	0	0
GREETING	11 132	167,626	10,326	0	0
TOTAL PUBLIC MESSAGES	968,897	19,281,342	3,576,845	0	0
GOVERNMENT MESSAGES					
PRESS MESSAGES	94 571	1 430,101	263,294	0	0
OTHER COMMUTED-RATE MESSAGES	0	0	0	0	0
SHIP STATION MESSAGES	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER MESSAGES	158 805	2 735,862	165,586	0	0
	0	0	-4,215	0	0
TOTAL MARINE MESSAGES	1,222,273	23,447,305	4,001,510	0	0
GRAND TOTAL	55,572,193	XXXX	156 951,165	30 472,947	103,074,045

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YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31 1972

CLASS OF MESSAGES	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS		
	NUMBER OF MESSAGES	NUMBER OF WORDS	RESPONDENT'S PORTION OF REVENUES (DOLLARS)
DOMESTIC MESSAGES 1			
PUBLIC MESSAGES			
FULL RATE	33 851	xxxx	93 772
DAY LETTER	0	xxxx	0
NIGHT LETTER	41 778	xxxx	57 572
TEL(T)EX	0	xxxx	0
INFOCOM TGM			
FAST MESSAGE	0	xxxx	0
OVERNIGHT	0	xxxx	0
TCCS MESSAGE SERVICE			
FAST MESSAGE	0	xxxx	0
OVERNIGHT	0	xxxx	0
PERSONAL OPINION MESSAGES			
MAILGRAM	0	xxxx	0
LESS MESSAGE DISCOUNT	0	xxxx	0
TOTAL PUBLIC MESSAGES	75 629	xxxx	151 344
U S GOVERNMENT MESSAGES			
OTHER THAN WEATHER	1 130	xxxx	4 848
WEATHER	0	xxxx	0
LESS MESSAGE DISCOUNT	0	xxxx	0
TOTAL U S GOVERNMENT MESSAGES	1 130	xxxx	4 848
PRESS MESSAGES			
MONEY ORDER MESSAGES	1 763	xxxx	13 105
CONTRACT (CAK) MESSAGES	0	xxxx	0
NEWS (CND) MESSAGES	0	xxxx	0
TOTAL DOMESTIC MESSAGES	78 522	xxxx	169 297
DOMESTIC TRANSMISSION OF TRANSOCEANIC AND MARINE MESSAGES 2			
TRANSOCEANIC MESSAGES			
PUBLIC MESSAGES			
URGENT	102 537	3 346 794	330 751
ORDINARY	10 697 942	271 926 829	23 390 750
LETTER	11 769 209	392 905 456	17 825 401
GREETING	219	1 804	239
TOTAL PUBLIC MESSAGES	22 569 907	668 180 883	41 547 141
GOVERNMENT MESSAGES	317 546	16 467 714	941 394
PRESS MESSAGES	64 316	7 130 683	236 289
OTHER COMMUTED-RATE MESSAGES	25 030	963 169	81 612
OTHER MESSAGES 4	821 652	20 718 926	2 065 552
TOTAL TRANSOCEANIC MESSAGES	23 798 451	713 461 375	44 871 988
MARINE MESSAGES			
PUBLIC MESSAGES			
ORDINARY	948 110	18 778 756	3 536 624
LETTER	9 655	334 960	29 895
GREETING	11 132	167 626	10 326
TOTAL PUBLIC MESSAGES	968 897	19 281 342	3 576 845
GOVERNMENT MESSAGES	94 571	1 430 101	263 294
PRESS MESSAGES	0	0	0
OTHER COMMUTED-RATE MESSAGES	0	0	0
SHIP STATION MESSAGES	158 805	2 735 862	165 586
OTHER MESSAGES	0	0	4 215
TOTAL MARINE MESSAGES	1 222 273	23 447 305	4 001 510
GRAND TOTAL	25 099 246	xxxx	53 877 120

NOTE - THE DATA IN THIS TABLE ARE AS REPORTED BY THE CARRIERS AND INCLUDE SOME ESTIMATES

1 THE DATA SHOWN UNDER DOMESTIC MESSAGES FOR THE OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS RELATE TO DOMESTIC CLASSIFICATION MESSAGES HANDLED BY SUCH CARRIERS BETWEEN UNITED STATES ON THE ONE HAND AND CANADA AND MEXICO ON THE OTHER

2 REPRESENTS THAT PORTION OF TRANSOCEANIC AND MARINE MESSAGES WHICH ARE TRANSMITTED BETWEEN GATEWAY POINTS AND POINTS WITHIN THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES, CANADA AND MEXICO AND THE DOMESTIC TRANSMISSION REVENUES RELATING THERETO ACCORDINGLY TO AVOID DUPLICATION THE NUMBER OF SUCH MESSAGES HAS BEEN EXCLUDED FROM THE GRAND TOTAL

3 EXCLUDES 85 971 MARINE MESSAGES HANDLED DURING THE YEAR WITH RELATED REVENUES OF \$119 685 SUCH AMOUNTS ARE INCLUDED UNDER PUBLIC AND GOVERNMENT MESSAGES

4 DATA RELATE TO MESSAGES WHICH DID NOT ORIGINATE IN TERMINATE IN OR TRANSIT THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES

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TABLE 25 REVENUES FROM OVERSEAS COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES REPORTED BY TELEGRAPH CARRIERS
FOR THE YEARS 1953 TO 1972, INCLUSIVE
(THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

YEAR	TOTAL			ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS, INC 1/			PRESS WIRELESS, INC 2/		
	MESSAGE	TELEX	PRIVATE LINE	MESSAGE	TELEX	PRIVATE LINE	MESSAGE	TELEX	PRIVATE LINE
1953	42,471	651	3,661	19,155	0	1,091	549	0	0
1954	44,981	786	4,293	20,709	0	1,069	490	0	0
1955	46,609	1,226	4,768	20,473	4	1,125	514	0	0
1956	49,767	1,883	5,339	21,140	79	1,222	528	0	0
1957	50,319	2,830	5,952	21,139	289	1,441	503	0	0
1958	50,209	3,581	6,811	20,779	625	1,787	587	0	0
1959	55,009	5,391	8,362	23,288	1,394	1,972	598	0	0
1960	57,891	7,543	7,490	25,573	2,187	1,700	676	3	71
1961	57,143	10,004	8,618	24,920	3,259	2,366	765	29	298
1962	56,162	12,159	9,490	23,475	3,945	2,663	779	22	314
1963	56,294	13,692	12,098	22,858	4,706	3,320	720	4	327
1964	58,009	17,206	14,647	22,065	6,474	4,024	663	1	314
1965	3/ 50,575	21,320	20,199	12,980	7,511	5,952	607	2	547
1966	49,699	27,319	29,001	13,280	9,461	8,388	460	6	547
1967	49,757	33,664	31,266	13,053	11,467	8,778	564	92	667
1968	50,511	44,347	36,568	13,880	16,189	10,733	690	24	593
1969	53,245	55,669	45,219	14,793	22,185	13,744	204	1	498
1970	52,584	62,654	49,637	15,181	24,248	14,535	146	0	467
1971	48,820	72,021	51,744	15,022	28,272	15,849	0	0	0
1972	44,373	87,817	57,370	12,434	34,825	17,641	0	0	0
YEAR	RCA GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC			TRT TELECOMMUNICATIONS, CORP			WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL, INC 4/		
	MESSAGE	TELEX	PRIVATE LINE	MESSAGE	TELEX	PRIVATE LINE	MESSAGE	TELEX	PRIVATE LINE
1953	12,353	651	782	1,300	0	0	9,114	0	1,788
1954	12,979	786	882	1,500	0	0	9,303	0	2,342
1955	14,346	1,222	1,235	1,515	0	0	9,761	0	2,408
1956	16,049	1,804	1,630	1,653	0	0	10,397	0	2,487
1957	16,329	2,541	1,965	1,747	0	0	10,601	0	2,546
1958	16,092	2,956	2,658	1,873	0	0	10,878	0	2,366
1959	17,479	3,997	3,844	2,056	0	6	11,588	0	2,540
1960	18,097	5,275	4,546	2,152	26	36	11,393	52	1,137
1961	18,100	6,437	5,357	2,355	26	46	11,003	253	551
1962	18,477	7,413	5,730	2,473	40	58	10,958	739	725
1963	19,084	7,721	7,484	2,493	50	211	11,139	1,211	756
1964	20,631	9,104	8,990	2,713	50	300	11,937	1,577	1,019
1965	21,467	11,049	11,438	3,254	63	339	12,267	2,695	1,923
1966	21,085	13,412	15,616	2,788	94	218	12,086	4,346	4,232
1967	20,611	15,308	15,842	2,767	155	261	12,762	6,642	5,718
1968	20,235	18,876	18,247	2,901	275	319	12,805	8,983	6,676
1969	21,537	20,800	22,757	3,076	391	443	13,635	12,292	7,777
1970	21,299	22,711	26,605	2,889	473	596	13,069	15,222	7,434
1971	18,714	26,999	26,593	3,033	875	558	12,051	15,875	8,744
1972	18,451	32,923	27,494	2,818	1,246	582	10,670	18,823	11,653

NOTE - FOR CORRESPONDING DATA REGARDING OVERSEAS COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES OF TELEPHONE CARRIERS, SEE TABLE 14

TV PROGRAM TRANSMISSION ACROSS THE ATLANTIC OCEAN BEGAN IN MID 1965 AND ACROSS THE PACIFIC OCEAN IN LATE 1966.
BEGINNING IN LATE 1968 AN ATLANTIC SATELLITE WAS USED FOR TV SERVICE IN AND OUT OF PUERTO RICO UPON AVAILABILITY OF THE EARTH STATION THERE. SEVERAL U.S. CARRIERS, INCLUDING BOTH TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH, PARTICIPATE IN OFFERING THIS SERVICE, ONE AT A TIME, ON A ROTATION BASIS EXCEPT IN HAWAII WHERE THE HAWAIIAN TELEPHONE CO. HANDLES ALL OVERSEAS TV. RECENT TV USAGE AND REVENUES OF THESE CARRIERS WERE

YEAR	CHARGEABLE HOURS		REVENUE
	ATLANTIC	PACIFIC	
1970	455	257	\$1,976,438
1971	370	336	2,263,865
1972	759	505	3,801,870

1/ PREVIOUS TO AUGUST 31, 1964 WAS MACKAY RADIO AND TELEGRAPH CO. DATA INCLUDE REVENUES OF COMMERCIAL CABLE CO. TO OCTOBER 31, 1964 AT WHICH DATE ITS ASSETS IN U.S. WERE TRANSFERRED TO ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS INC., GLOBE WIRELESS INC. TO AUGUST 31, 1964 AT WHICH DATE IT WAS MERGED WITH ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS INC. AND ALL AMERICA CABLES AND RADIO, INC. TO DECEMBER 31, 1964 AT WHICH DATE IT DISCONTINUED FILING REPORTS AS A TELEGRAPH CARRIER WITH THE FCC. THE ASSETS OF ALL AMERICA CABLE AND RADIO, INC. IN THE U.S. WERE TRANSFERRED TO MACKAY RADIO AND TELEGRAPH CO. ON OCTOBER 31, 1963 AND ITS ASSETS IN PUERTO RICO AND THE VIRGIN ISLANDS WERE TRANSFERRED TO ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS INC. JUNE 30, 1965.

2/ PRESS WIRELESS INC. WAS MERGED WITH AND INTO ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS INC. EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 31, 1970.

3/ REVENUES FROM SOUTH AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN OPERATIONS OF ALL AMERICA CABLES & RADIO, INC. ARE INCLUDED IN DATA SHOWN FOR YEARS PRIOR TO 1965 BUT WERE NOT REPORTED TO FCC IN SUCCEEDING YEARS.

4/ DATA SHOWN INCLUDE REVENUES OF THE OCEAN CABLE SYSTEM OF THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1963 AT WHICH DATE IT WAS PURCHASED BY WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL, INC.

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TABLE 26 ANALYSIS OF OVERSEAS MESSAGE TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC BY COUNTRY OR POINT
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31 1972

COUNTRY OR POINT	ORIGINATING IN THE UNITED STATES				TERMINATING IN THE UNITED STATES		
	MESSAGES	WORDS	REVENUE	FOREIGN PAYMENTS	MESSAGES	WORDS	REVENUE
EUROPE							
ALBANIA	1 004	29 682	\$1 334	\$2 913	698	18 507	\$1 349
AUSTRIA	42 428	1 278 697	4 339	196 872	35 147	872 354	126 023
AZORES	2 812	79 823	147	12 096	3 255	62 351	7 710
BELGIUM	72 497	2 379 956	90 597	283 360	57 867	1 745 112	246 650
BULGARIA	3 643	123 169	7 669	11 084	3 866	117 486	7 354
CYPRUS	6 233	202 711	8 991	20 163	5 632	145 396	1 572
CZECHOSLOVAKIA	12 368	356 427	16 789	37 042	14 936	373 260	35 709
DENMARK	46 894	1 483 199	86 498	141 986	38 345	924 491	91 550
FAEROE ISLANDS	56	1 453	46	175	30	591	40
FINLAND	19 119	603 854	13 655	77 115	28 099	765 765	122 074
FRANCE	293 699	9 552 665	591 680	923 799	286 939	8 553 167	942 286
WEST GERMANY	360 201	11 391 191	671 364	1 082 803	277 324	7 323 228	689 482
GIBRALTAR	749	23 017	1 367	2 425	1 070	25 170	656
GREECE	101 052	2 804 530	90 441	348 311	89 864	2 257 265	289 938
GREENLAND	327	12 422	229	1 725	255	7 589	566
HUNGARY	16 330	413 807	38 380	22 617	17 452	425 333	19 826
ICELAND	8 674	284 286	6 616	36 420	9 272	230 734	21 445
IRELAND	53 563	1 492 030	118 710	78 485	46 803	1 245 816	37 303
ITALY	346 968	10 211 053	798 541	796 560	328 654	8 539 061	598 942
LIECHTENSTEIN	1 016	31 911	1 154	4 060	1	27	2
LUXEMBURG	5 282	190 123	4 697	27 165	3 836	100 042	14 341
MALTA	4 830	149 653	8 790	14 372	5 497	164 550	4 046
MONACO	882	26 672	1 561	2 718	0	0	0
NETHERLANDS	101 203	3 157 738	216 200	278 205	107 336	2 855 979	278 821
NORWAY	49 944	1 467 109	52 132	181 456	47 570	1 132 067	168 076
PALESTINE	28 462	802 582	44 391	73 862	30 049	769 987	51 498
PORTUGAL	50 436	1 569 674	0	242 136	45 836	1 107 332	183 373
ROUMANIA	11 381	414 761	18 150	43 913	9 103	361 754	20 346
SPAIN	168 112	5 372 938	227 373	594 328	142 696	3 735 825	501 033
SWEDEN	74 565	2 399 965	84 829	281 586	88 326	2 497 950	333 613
SWITZERLAND	143 576	4 531 067	143 960	565 426	118 156	3 075 805	473 870
TURKEY	56 317	2 099 103	-26 145	339 184	33 524	1 024 948	190 851
U S S R	35 117	1 462 193	84 216	127 348	32 508	913 863	59 787
UNITED KINGDOM	750 994	24 005 844	2 630 588	511 334	893 650	27 222 392	1 720 139
VATICAN	618	24 548	398	3 586	1 582	52 242	6 052
YUGOSLAVIA	38 541	1 224 467	62 675	118 188	42 335	1 431 536	155 155
OTHERS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL EUROPE	2 909 893	91 654 320	6 093 390	7 484 818	2 847 513	80 078 975	7 401 478
AFRICA							
ALGERIA	7 376	328 482	28 990	41 465	4 986	248 153	33 385
ANGOLA	7 836	260 206	4 115	49 655	7 408	202 412	23 912
ASCENSION ISLAND	54	2 001	100	238	89	2 933	17
BOTSWANA	2 021	83 284	4 967	7 652	1 516	47 490	3 076
BURUNDI	1 574	61 092	532	11 813	1 187	49 412	8 279
CAMEROON	4 555	196 614	18 387	59 178	2 386	78 678	6 575
CANARY ISLANDS	4 574	154 937	14 923	17 304	17	458	39
CAPE VERDE ISLANDS	1 265	31 849	759	5 866	723	15 747	1 196
CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC	1 379	74 410	-4 841	20 082	444	17 727	1 648
CHAD	1 439	81 166	3 942	20 641	492	17 865	1 636
COMORO ISLANDS	54	1 996	0	390	48	1 185	132
CONGO (BRAZZAVILLE)	1 368	69 739	-5 179	19 205	947	46 086	5 017
CONGO (DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC)	8 587	345 836	14 075	54 128	6 772	253 247	43 726
DAHOMEY	2 700	120 644	26	24 397	1 435	45 992	3 804
ETHIOPIA	16 466	551 385	6 204	103 754	12 929	344 930	42 457
EQUATORIAL GUINEA							
REPUBLIC OF FRENCH TERRITORY OF AFARS + ISSAS	266	22 308	261	4 109	387	14 254	1 565
GABON	1 719	52 635	-1 057	13 314	1 354	36 940	4 048
GAMBIA	2 424	125 632	-8 685	35 645	1 121	44 613	4 511
GHANA	2 297	181 998	15 199	27 521	855	26 775	949
GUINEA	16 446	711 003	34 545	75 824	15 260	514 693	7 331
IVORY COAST	2 617	136 215	-6 797	37 086	1 507	112 144	9 200
KENYA	8 174	327 242	450	64 285	5 283	183 521	14 999
	37 600	1 394 557	70 845	146 790	34 053	1 029 350	9 801

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COUNTRY OR POINT	ORIGINATING IN THE UNITED STATES				TERMINATING IN THE UNITED STATES		
	MESSAGES	WORDS	REVENUE	FOREIGN PAYOUTS	MESSAGES	WORDS	REVENUE
LESOTHO	1,234	61,421	4,541	4,325	902	28,353	2,031
LIBERIA	24,858	979,630	76,602	82,493	22,567	756,056	71,462
LIBYA	19,442	776,503	51,963	115,868	23,900	837,773	76,746
MADEIRA ISLANDS	2,065	58,024	1,220	11,019	2,108	45,101	6,281
MALAGASY REPUBLIC	7,274	270,242	9,978	47,469	3,757	104,879	10,876
MALAWI	3,254	122,785	7,408	12,527	2,243	68,701	1,890
MALI	2,125	97,675	- 529	18,864	769	25,964	2,078
MAURITANIA	1,287	71,792	- 740	14,782	612	22,857	1,965
MAURITIUS	2,664	130,192	5,451	15,229	2,091	66,863	1,614
MOROCCO	14,703	479,510	40,552	54,295	12,334	359,020	55,195
MOZAMBIQUE	6,774	268,962	6,262	49,018	5,779	158,456	18,804
NIGER	2,203	109,937	- 481	22,292	1,181	49,157	4,265
NIGERIA	40,778	1,565,264	76,542	180,237	33,909	1,136,004	9,636
PORTUGUESE GUINEA	109	3,661	- 173	910	41	1,018	100
SAO TOME	55	2,356	- 71	670	29	671	74
REUNION ISLAND	354	12,632	- 1,710	4,836	220	5,693	2,483
RHODESIA	4,740	146,317	7,224	15,763	11,902	402,278	5,694
RWANDA	1,176	61,677	349	12,899	672	20,771	4,028
SENEGAL	4,863	214,789	- 3,224	47,983	2,803	88,038	7,171
SEYCHELLES	1,422	35,972	2,183	3,883	1,531	40,166	672
SIERRA LEONE	6,532	239,916	12,046	26,856	6,800	211,554	3,504
SOMALI REPUBLIC	2,274	123,552	1,524	22,166	1,013	36,681	3,717
SOUTH AFRICAN REPUBLIC	106,398	3,887,103	315,841	314,044	159,953	5,108,499	319,421
SOUTH WEST AFRICA	618	19,934	1,479	1,555	0	0	0
SPANISH TERRITORIES							
IN NORTHERN MOROCCO	71	1,976	120	231	18	549	18
SPANISH SAHARA	33	1,702	- 92	411	11	273	33
ST HELENA	22	845	45	105	11	321	0
SUDAN	5,602	254,757	6,923	45,218	4,845	150,475	9,075
SWAZILAND	1,288	63,295	4,564	4,893	973	31,316	1,948
TANZANIA	10,038	386,579	20,805	40,133	6,613	205,499	3,508
TOGO, REPUBLIC OF	2,441	104,147	- 865	22,790	1,263	37,248	2,947
TUNISIA	9,313	365,369	33,161	38,979	8,311	279,832	38,630
UGANDA	9,083	332,196	18,753	35,551	6,447	219,775	5,603
UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC	27,458	1,151,880	67,912	147,739	24,035	814,595	102,138
UPPER VOLTA	1,671	87,864	- 595	17,926	811	27,118	2,332
ZAMBIA	8,766	349,834	19,557	34,978	5,519	207,244	5,756
OTHERS	672	29,176	2,214	2,306	282	9,250	417
TOTAL AFRICA	466,451	18,184,697	933,842	2,311,585	457,454	14,892,653	1,009,415
NEAR EAST							
ARABIA-SAUDI	39,290	1,624,411	110,656	208,496	34,776	1,252,874	100,853
IRAN	70,075	2,618,325	146,959	381,573	84,696	2,706,768	388,335
IRAQ	10,311	455,452	- 11,829	102,181	8,211	274,816	13,666
ISRAEL	163,745	4,835,715	476,074	478,964	182,084	4,553,479	313,164
JORDAN	7,797	283,115	33,965	24,261	4,790	141,799	5,437
LEBANON	59,527	2,008,573	241,656	148,898	56,568	1,613,711	60,497
BAHRAIN	7,862	322,972	4,516	85,611	13,998	354,841	25,902
KUWAIT	18,137	730,337	16,107	127,780	20,136	629,043	33,340
MUSCAT & OMAN	1,182	84,354	- 4,928	23,164	1,236	40,350	1,494
QATAR	1,824	96,310	- 8,134	26,719	1,879	62,225	2,374
TRUCIAL STATES	11,405	436,704	- 59,427	149,370	4,181	160,262	5,980
SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC	7,547	315,988	22,185	39,837	5,341	181,851	11,661
YEMEN	2,152	97,060	3,778	13,941	2,162	69,967	1,279
YEMEN, SOUTHERN	1,849	85,466	3,638	10,894	1,939	66,791	1,732
TOTAL NEAR EAST	402,703	13,994,782	975,216	1,821,689	421,997	12,108,777	965,714
BERMUDA	27,680	910,995	66,935	55,053	23,713	676,422	22,425
WEST INDIES	5	141	5	10	3,002	66,427	2,512
ANGUILLA	8,769	253,027	13,988	21,272	6,270	141,001	4,749

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COUNTRY OR POINT	ORIGINATING IN THE UNITED STATES				TERMINATING IN THE UNITED STATES		
	MESSAGES	WORDS	REVENUE	FOREIGN PAYMENTS	MESSAGES	WORDS	REVENUE
ARUBA	18 682	614 176	44 952	41 198	25 079	631 911	54 090
BAHAMAS	48 214	1 513 869	108 554	102 778	35 221	1 096 303	79 281
BARBADOS	22 726	701 612	51 539	42 698	17 597	273 659	29 106
BARBUOA	18	452	26	52	12	242	3
BONAIRE	1 231	37 494	2 044	2 957	0	0	0
CARIACOU	41	1 147	45	100	215	3 374	183
CAYMAN ISLANDS	4 771	157 641	9 076	13 279	5 002	138 240	4 854
CUBA	428 878	9 459 367	564 236	468 612	223 055	5 552 874	72 685
CURACAO	26 685	890 045	62 605	64 944	14 207	361 875	33 765
DOMINICA	1 766	47 187	2 381	3 802	2 189	40 112	912
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	46 561	1 453 534	138 748	58 273	29 629	767 814	88 181
GRENADA	4 047	120 829	6 690	9 690	5 772	124 574	2 932
GUADELOUPE	3 804	114 386	3 950	11 728	2 739	66 952	9 361
HAITI	37 334	1 057 170	106 833	35 760	28 214	635 471	58 744
JAMAICA	83 167	2 750 581	150 448	222 617	78 382	2 169 542	51 966
MARTINIQUE	5 659	169 527	5 671	16 626	4 128	100 390	14 127
MONTSERRAT	1 097	30 334	1 636	2 523	1 388	29 001	632
ST. KITTS & NEVIS	632	17 736	1 025	1 366	593	12 508	296
PUERTO RICO	178 877	6 266 103	520 149	264 039	129 077	3 625 119	405 546
ST. CHRISTOPHER	828	25 642	1 114	2 230	1 404	26 837	756
ST. LUCIA	3 279	92 389	5 080	7 668	4 068	89 359	2 051
ST. MAARTEN	5 144	164 530	23 520	42	0	0	0
ST. VINCENT	2 600	68 830	4 003	5 899	3 757	76 432	1 910
TOBAGO	322	10 313	376	988	1 038	26 643	475
TORTOLA	740	21 873	1 073	1 984	2 189	51 094	1 051
TRINIDAD	47 117	1 573 014	86 655	130 106	44 663	1 193 711	24 407
TURKS ISLAND	650	18 214	916	1 658	978	29 632	445
VIRGIN ISLANDS (BRITISH)	1 970	56 844	2 959	4 823	648	15 347	403
VIRGIN ISLANDS (U.S.)	14 666	470 293	35 454	23 015	8 833	229 127	29 595
ST. CROIX	1 657	52 962	2 664	3 617	1	22	1
ST. JOHN	13 099	416 245	44 666	6 700	11 538	289 218	35 897
OTHERS	298	9 283	185	923	5	61	3
TOTAL WEST INDIES	1 015 334	28 636 790	2 003 266	1 573 977	690 892	17 864 872	1 010 919
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CENTRAL AMERICA							
BRITISH HONOURAS	7 519	207 850	16 467	17 667	7 084	163 919	8 860
CANAL ZONE	11 005	352 779	40 049	32 705	15 491	282 900	38 730
COSTA RICA	51 001	1 721 002	149 340	154 079	39 789	1,057 361	92 753
GUATAMALA	50 616	1 657 449	133 918	172 904	40 071	1,036 652	114 848
HONDURAS	41 579	1 378 321	146 350	116 154	30 765	772 349	145 086
NICARAGUA	37 646	1 261 431	126 970	103 857	34 299	870 738	114 681
PANAMA REPUBLIC OF	47 266	1 640 496	181 986	122 010	34 015	915 257	144 320
SALVADOR	41 160	1 395 903	104 532	142 950	29 234	751 198	52 813
TOTAL CENTRAL AMERICA	287 792	9 615 231	899 612	862 326	230 748	5 850 374	712 091
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SOUTH AMERICA							
ARGENTINA	126 397	4 349 378	211 170	603 300	74 853	2 009 541	218 107
BOLIVIA	28 757	1 023 014	62 769	112 952	17 338	482 717	48 494
BRAZIL	250 212	9 543 026	722 745	1 077 957	154 117	4 408 218	381 565
CHILE	49 260	1 749 917	108 460	206 642	25 761	687 321	92 847
COLOMBIA	123 855	4 084 311	307 067	448 945	94 331	2 597 095	235 141
ECUADOR	89 785	2 922 225	165 904	385 893	51 743	1 396 605	126 701
FAKLAND ISLANDS	44	1 294	50	123	28	708	6
FRENCH GUIANA	930	29 630	1 828	3 405	506	13 631	1 934
GUYANA	17 630	542 911	36 457	54 689	12 941	328 578	8 884
PARAGUAY	12 590	493 081	14 023	75 218	5 845	150 103	21 291
PERU	65 514	2 235 194	166 978	240 905	37 924	973 977	101 973
SURINAM	11 878	386 879	25 381	51 359	11 334	290 503	32 626
URUGUAY	40 694	1 309 103	61 537	170 603	23 259	668 898	59 259
VENEZUELA	138 294	5 062 962	376 261	554 996	161 200	4 881 114	493 633
OTHERS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL SOUTH AMERICA	955 840	33 732 925	2 260 630	3 986 987	671 180	18 889 009	1 822 461
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NORTH AMERICA							
ALASKA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CANADA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MEXICO	17	1 281	75	75	1	46	4
ST. PIERRE & MIQUELON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHERS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL NORTH AMERICA	17	1 281	75	75	1	46	4
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HAWAII	141 682	5 031 848	588 165	44 190	122 792	4 006 246	363 250
ASIA	7 808	260 071	6 838	70 359	4 558	106 332	18 711
AFGHANISTAN	13 796	645 751	39 342	57 561	18 744	726 631	24 203
BANGLADESH	9	477	-12	96	0	0	0

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TABLE 26 ANALYSIS OF OVERSEAS MESSAGE TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC BY COUNTRY OR POINT
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COUNTRY OR POINT	ORIGINATING IN THE UNITED STATES				TERMINATING IN THE UNITED STATES		
	MESSAGES	WORDS	REVENUE	FOREIGN PAYOUTS	MESSAGES	WORDS	REVENUE
BRUNEI	1,355	61,126	3,641	5,592	1,468	56,761	1,953
BURMA	5,136	215,335	19,356	22,596	5,147	165,179	9,869
CAMBODIA	5,436	255,522	12,218	33,278	6,750	343,291	6,888
CEYLON	17,653	545,723	38,905	59,280	19,970	563,454	14,458
CHINA	5,789	350,319	-5,505	75,656	3,585	332,563	24,628
TAIWAN	191,338	6,599,898	95,814	1,123,599	148,322	4,213,896	485,245
HONG KONG	244,082	7,484,839	584,238	528,861	211,695	5,758,171	260,572
INDIA	283,738	9,086,949	687,207	773,529	265,836	8,287,633	305,544
INDONESIA	51,602	1,925,196	144,035	245,906	43,203	1,375,805	106,357
JAPAN	408,833	14,198,213	1,268,099	1,619,406	428,704	14,087,914	1,221,786
KOREA - NORTH	85	4,139	-76	1,021	108	29,993	1,465
KOREA - SOUTH	114,185	4,235,742	244,227	552,691	101,011	3,342,659	327,463
LAOS	2,490	93,268	4,013	13,583	3,119	168,468	3,904
MACAO	325	11,925	720	1,217	545	12,699	1,283
MALAYSIA	42,190	1,542,451	122,015	108,335	38,752	1,177,225	57,309
MONGOLIA	142	5,992	10	1,307	142	5,037	712
NEPAL	4,595	171,385	16,459	16,866	2,135	63,221	3,743
PAKISTAN	80,707	3,007,959	252,116	234,204	81,077	2,773,382	133,830
PHILIPPINES,							
REPUBLIC OF	200,943	5,916,609	692,130	445,599	156,426	4,194,165	454,744
PORTUGUESE TIMOR	408	8,241	316	1,726	271	5,609	565
SINGAPORE,							
REPUBLIC OF	84,877	3,122,650	260,414	233,034	87,563	2,597,897	95,388
THAILAND	75,398	2,728,219	224,953	295,580	68,124	1,921,422	194,299
VIETNAM - SOUTH	45,571	1,681,067	105,491	218,216	33,176	1,090,003	60,877
VIETNAM - NORTH	134	11,662	112	2,379	94	12,886	447
OTHERS	3,378	141,224	6,054	17,365	3,215	133,576	3,657
TOTAL ASIA	1,892,003	64,311,952	4,823,130	6,758,842	1,733,740	53,545,872	3,819,900
OCEANIA							
AMERICAN SAMOA	4,249	145,750	15,587	8,858	3,372	94,681	10,843
AUSTRALIA	209,229	7,427,791	587,128	572,810	260,723	7,964,469	277,955
CAROLINE ISLANDS	1,114	34,721	5,039	1,693	1,008	33,028	4,851
CHRISTMAS ISLAND	193	12,173	743	1,363	0	0	0
COCOS/KEELING ISLANDS	5	114	4	12	0	0	0
COOK ISLANDS	312	8,186	348	885	57	2,226	103
FIJI ISLANDS	6,544	335,806	20,300	29,827	3,296	103,530	253
FRENCH POLYNESIA	8,448	265,868	8,864	45,409	8,644	217,454	29,933
GIBERT ANO ELICE ISLANDS	139	7,385	255	775	131	6,114	-18
GUAM	17,553	610,194	126,586	19	20,832	596,309	130,626
MARTANA ISLANDS	1,406	54,397	11,334	0	1,637	66,502	13,157
MARSHALL ISLANDS	1,048	31,784	4,994	1,593	689	20,657	2,869
MIOWAY ISLAND	166	5,016	275	476	13	446	56
NAURU ISLAND	21	790	54	78	22	944	64
NEW CALEDONIA	2,032	65,145	2,640	10,542	1,401	46,962	6,915
NEW HEBRIDIES	771	33,890	-1,215	8,235	677	18,986	266
NEW ZEALAND	61,029	2,096,937	103,307	160,434	59,730	1,595,122	23,872
NORFOLK ISLAND	332	12,783	1,081	986	84	2,093	128
PAPUA & NEW GUINEA	2,728	103,218	8,065	9,233	4,077	139,438	4,220
PITCAIRN ISLAND	28	631	24	59	14	341	-4
RYUKYU ISLANDS	10,659	367,135	23,747	54,572	7,870	215,428	23,061
SOLOMON ISLANDS, BR	289	10,269	440	1,092	266	7,695	356
TONGA	778	34,751	1,269	3,690	410	10,786	-20
WAKE ISLAND	57	2,295	226	6	0	0	0
WESTERN SAMOA	2,156	84,856	4,458	8,114	917	32,693	1,849
OTHERS	3,020	94,852	2	9	9,936	291,706	0
TOTAL OCEANIA	334,306	11,846,737	925,555	920,770	385,806	11,467,610	531,335
ANTARTICA							
AOELIE	1	67	-3	12	0	0	0
S ORKY	0	0	0	0	2	118	0
OTHERS	1	32	-1	6	0	0	0
TOTAL ANTARTICA	2	99	-4	18	2	118	0
ADJUSTMENTS							
GRAND TOTAL	-	-	-320,640	-	-	-	-1,179,723
	8,433,703	277,921,657	19,249,172	25,820,330	7,585,838	219,380,974	16,479,269

NOTE -- DATA SHOWN IN THIS TABLE ARE COMPILED FROM RESPONSES TO THE COMMISSION'S RULE 43.61 AND REPRESENT ALL OVERSEAS MESSAGE TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC WHICH ORIGINATED OR TERMINATED IN THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES, EXCLUDING ALASKA BEGINNING WITH THE YEAR 1968. OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH MESSAGE DATA AS REPORTED HEREIN EXCLUDES DATA ON MESSAGES WHICH TRANSITED THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES OVER THE FACILITIES OF THE TELEGRAPH CARRIERS, WHICH HAVE BEEN INCLUDED IN ALL PRIOR YEARS AND THEREFORE SUCH YEARS' DATA ARE NOT COMPARABLE. IN 1972, THE TELEGRAPH CARRIERS REPORTED THAT THEY HANDLED SOME 98,703,244 INBOUND TRANSIT TELEGRAPH MESSAGE WORDS, AND 100,438,646 OUTBOUND TRANSIT TELEGRAPH MESSAGE WORDS WITH A COMBINED TOTAL OF 696,444,521 OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH MESSAGE WORDS HANDLED. THE TOTALS REPORTED IN THIS TABLE DIFFER FROM TRANSOCEANIC TRAFFIC TOTALS SHOWN IN TABLE 24 AND 34 FOR THE REASONS THAT (1) MESSAGES AND WORDS SHOWN HEREIN INCLUDE OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC HANDLED BY WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO. IN THE UNITED STATES AND EXCHANGED WITH CANADIAN OR MEXICAN CARRIERS AT THE RESPECTIVE BORDERS, WHICH ARE REPORTED IN TABLES 24 AND 34 AS "DOMESTIC TRANSMISSION OF TRANSOCEANIC MESSAGES"; (2) TRAFFIC OF THE FRENCH CABLE COMPANY IS INCLUDED HEREIN, BUT EXCLUDED FROM TABLES 24 AND 34; AND (3) TRAFFIC WHICH DID NOT ORIGINATE OR TERMINATE IN THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES HAS BEEN OMITTED HEREIN, BUT IS INCLUDED IN TABLES 24 AND 34.

INDICATES REVENUE LOSS

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TABLE 27 ANALYSIS OF OVERSEAS MESSAGE TELEX TRAFFIC BY COUNTRY OR POINT
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31 1972

COUNTRY OR POINT	ORIGINATING IN THE UNITED STATES				TERMINATING IN THE UNITED STATES		
	MESSAGES	MINUTES	REVENUE	FOREIGN PAYMENTS	MESSAGES	MINUTES	REVENUE
EUROPE							
ANDORRA	13	54	\$79	\$61	186	665	\$941
AUSTRIA	56 459	142 595	203 193	160 424	60 229	200 698	225 786
BELGIUM	393 428	904 173	1 481 760	1 017 262	484 693	1 130 355	1 271 649
BULGARIA	2 295	15 681	23 525	23 524	2 717	10 589	15 415
CYPRUS	2 004	13 103	18 671	14 742	3 045	20 251	22 783
CZECHOSLOVAKIA	3 387	10 067	13 402	16 804	2 791	10 874	15 330
DENMARK	111 476	261 103	416 774	293 746	27 991	347 098	390 486
FAEROE ISLANDS	183	671	953	756	82	518	583
FINLAND	37 501	85 330	121 588	96 000	44 920	147 420	165 876
FRANCE	712 834	1 744 856	2 484 314	1 961 438	818 870	2 503 916	2 812 750
GERMANY EAST	2 045	10 044	15 067	15 066	1 557	7 256	10 884
GERMANY WEST	1 048 876	2 347 788	4 038 543	2 643 857	725 320	3 023 176	3 403 946
GIBRALTAR	236	911	1 368	1 369	161	727	1 092
GREECE	75 387	203 982	290 667	229 485	82 040	291 223	327 628
GREENLAND	67	257	380	352	35	250	281
HUNGARY	4 099	19 256	27 400	21 695	4 430	35 650	40 107
ICELAND	3 537	13 851	20 784	20 772	2 986	10 919	12 416
IRELAND	47 907	128 047	206 018	144 064	58 713	178 153	200 422
ITALY	525 418	1 292 874	1 842 251	1 454 562	608 318	1 820 357	2 043 582
LUXEMBURG	18 824	45 241	71 598	50 896	46 105	138 985	156 360
MALTA	2 155	8 168	12 252	12 254	1 552	7 157	10 736
NETHERLANDS	440 790	971 287	1 660 438	1 092 783	598 104	1 165 016	1 310 643
NORWAY	161 170	407 407	580 549	458 338	164 701	476 059	535 523
POLAND	11 645	52 104	73 123	66 679	11 601	57 545	68 135
PORTUGAL	34 906	132 917	189 369	149 565	40 396	163 249	183 656
ROUMANIA	9 188	34 666	47 140	42 880	17 348	95 163	108 102
SPAIN	203 464	505 435	720 224	568 630	227 443	709 272	797 931
SWEDEN	218 895	496 391	795 946	558 429	265 019	621 468	699 101
SWITZERLAND	527 693	1 218 943	2 015 103	1 371 244	717 915	1 490 148	1 676 417
TURKEY	7 955	33 577	47 845	37 773	12 870	61 530	69 252
U S S R	11 388	49 118	65 321	65 698	15 820	78 648	106 928
UNITED KINGDOM	2 083 400	5 313 091	7 566 501	5 981 941	2 388 210	7 198 685	8 099 521
YUGOSLAVIA	27 516	121 547	173 209	136 736	26 267	119 095	133 980
TOTAL EUROPE	6 786 141	16 584 535	25 225 355	18 709 825	7 462 435	22 122 115	24 918 242
AFRICA							
ALGERIA	9 409	35 624	53 421	89 078	7 757	34 326	51 489
ANGOLA	3 396	13 228	19 837	33 080	3 946	17 067	25 600
BOTSWANA	668	2 411	3 000	4 241	539	2 475	3 712
BURUNDI	6	38	58	96	242	1 067	1 601
CAMEROON	1 262	6 464	9 697	16 165	1 458	7 509	11 264
CANARY ISLANDS	2 546	9 085	12 926	10 204	0	0	0
CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC	513	2 401	3 600	6 004	510	2 065	3 099
CHAD REPUBLIC OF	375	1 718	2 578	4 295	260	1 308	1 963
CONGO (BRAZZAVILLE)	324	1 273	1 902	3 192	302	3 704	5 557
CONGO DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC DF	3 301	14 081	19 078	23 170	5 912	29 337	43 265
DAHOMEY	403	1 807	2 712	4 519	377	1 956	2 935
ETHIOPIA	3 448	15 460	23 186	38 657	4 566	22 980	34 571
FRENCH TERRITORY OF AFARS & ISSAS	75	203	306	508	0	0	0
GABON REPUBLIC OF	1 113	5 144	7 709	12 872	823	3 459	5 189
GAMBIA	5	16	26	40	17	72	108
GHANA	989	5 412	8 101	13 548	1 189	9 428	14 143
GUINEA REPUBLIC OF	224	5 231	7 828	13 099	8	30	46
IVORY COAST	4 197	18 594	27 495	45 516	3 058	13 620	20 430
KENYA	3 904	18 297	26 993	38 191	3 260	16 116	24 149
LESOTHO	241	1 384	1 750	2 403	194	1 209	1 815
LIBERIA	1 379	6 738	8 628	11 586	3 628	18 627	24 339
MALAGASY REPUBLIC	499	1 941	2 911	4 852	740	2 436	3 654
MALAWI	256	941	1 220	1 603	145	571	571
MALI	338	1 400	2 102	3 500	285	1 102	1 653
MURITANIA REPUBLIC OF	130	659	991	1 649	27	119	179
MURITIUS	36	131	196	458	50	182	273
MOROCCO	6 761	20 547	30 385	31 255	13 875	44 654	66 976
MOZAMBIQUE	337	1 245	1 868	3 113	1 164	4 612	6 919
NIGER	363	1 553	2 328	3 887	301	1 057	1 672
NIGERIA	11 079	44 861	65 112	69 473	8 606	53 363	78 659
REUNION ISLAND	488	1 823	2 724	4 571	407	1 458	2 188
RHODESIA SOUTHERN	616	1 769	2 616	2 693	559	2 463	3 124
RWANDA	8	37	55	93	14	76	114
SENEGAL	1 873	8 650	12 923	21 679	1 707	7 824	12 238
SEYCHELLES	31	175	281	594	51	353	531
SIERRA LEONE	374	1 840	2 760	4 601	1 044	5 199	7 796
SOMALIA	177	527	791	1 318	278	868	1 304
SOUTH AFRICA	127 190	333 770	420 302	430 811	78 565	326 293	415 520
SOUTHWEST AFRICA	2 476	6 570	8 318	8 437	0	0	0
SUDAN THE	362	2 350	3 519	5 882	570	2 645	3 964
SWAZILAND	278	1 137	1 142	2 270	323	1 262	1 894

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 TABLE 27 -- ANALYSIS OF OVERSEAS MESSAGE TELEX TRAFFIC BY COUNTRY OR POINT
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COUNTRY OR POINT	ORIGINATING IN THE UNITED STATES				TERMINATING IN THE UNITED STATES		
	MESSAGES	MINUTES	REVENUE	FOREIGN PAYOUTS	MESSAGES	MINUTES	REVENUE
TANZANIA	310	1,476	1,981	3,241	525	2,870	4,302
TOGO REPUBLIC OF	471	2,554	3,831	6,386	548	2,077	3,116
TUNISIA	2,275	9,691	11,509	17,586	4,105	18,391	27,183
UGANDA	360	2,142	2,866	4,950	244	1,154	1,731
UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC	4,710	31,050	40,582	69,620	5,629	31,579	47,139
UPPER VOLTA							
REPUBLIC OF	85	531	798	1,329	101	395	622
ZAMBIA	3,110	11,737	11,642	23,569	1,920	11,321	11,321
TOTAL AFRICA	202,771	655,716	876,584	1,099,884	159,829	710,679	979,918
NEAR EAST							
ARABIA-SAUOI	1,685	8,108	12,163	28,379	333	1,688	2,531
IRAN	38,764	172,757	224,132	294,141	41,017	211,200	301,466
ISRAEL	89,491	266,093	388,264	410,013	49,587	232,704	335,760
JORDAN	1,007	3,483	5,265	6,195	3,484	12,457	18,687
LEBANON	30,171	122,917	154,973	158,465	26,744	119,216	149,817
BAHRAIN	6,489	22,695	32,810	57,972	4,988	18,894	28,343
KUWAIT	7,656	26,720	40,396	66,489	4,571	18,178	26,752
MUSCAT	411	2,032	3,025	5,108	284	1,005	1,510
CATAR	451	1,548	2,304	3,889	277	1,090	1,635
TRUCIAL STATES	8,499	49,093	72,118	124,260	6,643	38,484	57,560
SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC	44	314	472	786	125	458	686
YEMEN	6	19	29	48	14	65	98
YEMEN, SOUTHERN	51	211	317	530	115	480	722
TOTAL NEAR EAST	184,725	675,990	936,268	1,156,275	138,182	655,919	925,567
BERMUDA	25,992	106,278	105,246	107,296	22,635	85,848	85,848
WEST INDIES							
ANTIGUA	1,064	4,393	5,466	7,714	1,313	5,418	6,056
ARUBA	4,651	20,417	18,200	43,051	771	3,160	2,859
BAHAMAS	13,609	70,991	91,529	85,628	10,378	55,227	80,221
BARBADOOS	3,736	27,840	30,441	53,079	3,886	20,705	25,569
CAYMAN ISLANDS	1,879	8,030	6,649	13,417	1,593	6,070	5,642
CUBA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CAURACAO	4,626	19,721	29,476	29,651	6,755	26,774	40,137
DOMINICA	10	31	42	50	4	22	33
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	42,053	115,430	183,040	105,536	45,835	118,281	186,828
GRENADA	280	1,101	1,223	2,080	524	2,003	2,301
GUADELOUPE	517	1,931	1,931	3,862	229	790	1,030
HAITI	6,035	25,984	40,314	24,645	5,449	22,247	35,635
JAMAICA	14,320	59,706	74,472	74,821	12,245	55,118	70,218
MARTINIQUE	2,004	7,343	8,840	13,190	2,252	7,711	11,415
MONTSERRAT	19	64	96	96	13	58	88
NEVIS	29	116	168	182	221	1,045	1,568
PUERTO RICO	282,310	714,883	1,227,084	202,681	340,273	922,079	1,636,295
ST CHRISTOPHER	345	1,390	1,653	2,518	0	0	0
ST LUCIA	522	2,214	3,261	3,381	347	1,547	2,321
ST MAARTEN	43	215	215	430	0	0	0
ST VINCENT	4	12	12	14	14	50	75
TORTOLA	36	155	233	233	127	462	694
TRINIDAD	9,292	38,747	46,892	69,349	9,571	45,550	57,598
TURKS ISLAND	94	396	366	621	125	535	487
VIRGIN ISLANDS (U S)							
ST CROIX	4,561	10,818	10,818	10,818	5,577	15,694	15,694
ST THOMAS	18,580	50,041	100,022	60	21,317	63,945	127,890
TOTAL WEST INOIES	410,619	1,181,969	1,882,443	747,107	468,819	1,374,491	2,310,654
CENTRAL AMERICA							
BRITISH HONDURAS	1,378	11,484	14,320	20,130	857	7,916	10,037
CANAL ZONE	32,490	86,237	129,359	129,350	28,451	71,413	107,078
COSTA RICA	18,839	77,749	116,190	117,000	13,455	70,280	105,419
GUATEMALA	23,720	79,200	122,337	115,254	20,423	69,865	102,154
HONOURAS	5,776	27,630	76,311	6,577	6,711	30,683	95,858
NICARAGUA	11,393	43,950	85,034	46,814	6,557	26,742	46,130
PANAMA, REPUBLIC OF	24,686	71,132	133,943	79,381	30,761	82,437	157,303
SALVADOR	11,393	68,542	102,807	102,819	7,794	43,658	65,487
OTHERS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL CENTRAL AMERICA	129,675	465,924	780,301	617,325	115,009	402,994	689,466
SOUTH AMERICA							
ARGENTINA	180,666	498,257	746,343	748,414	248,749	772,213	1,158,127
BOLIVIA	11,667	61,038	84,326	98,788	12,452	63,427	87,251
BRAZIL	311,282	984,335	1,470,462	1,482,516	350,578	1,133,376	1,698,026
CHILE	53,405	183,256	273,027	276,746	66,977	203,939	300,981
COLOMBIA	113,221	334,328	500,540	502,429	103,688	374,517	551,704
ECUADOR	21,973	114,868	169,754	173,862	28,938	160,971	240,816

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TABLE 27 ANALYSIS OF OVERSEAS MESSAGE TELEX TRAFFIC BY COUNTRY OR POINT
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31 1972 -CONTINUED

COUNTRY OR POINT	ORIGINATING IN THE UNITED STATES				TERMINATING IN THE UNITED STATES		
	MESSAGES	MINUTES	REVENUE	FOREIGN PAYOUTS	MESSAGES	MINUTES	REVENUE
FRENCH GUIANA	199	1 749	1 749	3 498	2	15	15
GUYANA	3 471	15,153	18 765	26 694	3 852	18 301	22 751
PARAGUAY	3 060	14 890	18 882	25 787	6 300	24 989	36 852
PERU	85 122	263 118	390 460	398 892	96 439	303 708	453 744
SURINAM	752	5 323	6 767	9 203	1 493	8 110	11 041
URUGUAY	11 250	47 764	71 026	72 266	17 811	74 554	111 764
VENEZUELA	175 435	463 022	724 885	724 126	137 908	527 693	791 410
TOTAL SOUTH AMERICA	971 503	3 007 101	4 476 986	4 543 221	1 075 187	3 665 813	5 464 482
NORTH AMERICA							
ALASKA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CANADA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MEXICO	187	674	544	438	2 893	12 222	5 634
TOTAL NORTH AMERICA	187	674	544	438	2 893	12 222	5 634
HAWAII	248 347	577 850	1 155 624	75	259 866	517 233	1 034 465
ASIA							
BANGLADESH	15	130	195	195	11	73	73
BRUNEI	477	4 214	4 129	8 723	502	4 303	4 303
BURMA	1 101	4 584	5 123	9 707	1 385	4 179	5 663
CEYLON	1 215	5 372	8 056	13 436	1 803	7 549	11 324
TAIWAN	105 396	466 771	652 535	747 780	90 625	413 520	620 091
HONG KONG	190 015	645 896	968 455	969 160	163 791	637 001	955 461
INDIA	36 240	166 235	227 053	271 656	28 607	175 682	239 191
INDONESIA	24 875	108 854	160 991	165 574	29 232	146 119	215 369
JAPAN	1 024 278	3 620 461	5 430 339	5 431 048	1 144 114	4 037 916	6 056 866
KOREA - SOUTH	83 929	331 484	377 269	617 184	79 395	301 787	432 043
LAOS	15	93	139	233	237	1 628	2 441
MALAYSIA	7 233	32 498	45 466	52 064	6 801	30 045	45 036
NEPAL	5	21	21	42	100	327	348
PAKISTAN	1 514	6 949	8 545	11 989	3 073	20 136	29 399
PHILIPPINES							
REPUBLIC OF SINGAPORE	132 858	380 534	820 304	321 298	157 822	381 413	807 677
REPUBLIC OF THAILAND	69 285	302 101	431 765	474 639	55 312	271 235	403 685
VIETNAM	18 801	77 928	146 369	165 343	16 302	73 215	144 259
OTHERS	7 445	44 721	79 980	98 904	12 892	90 792	186 899
TOTAL ASIA	1 704 715	6 198 931	9 366 862	9 359 103	1 792 011	6 597 001	10 160 209
OCEANIA							
AMERICAN SAMOA	768	4 705	11 746	7 073	465	2 057	4 951
AUSTRALIA	352 588	952 486	1 428 675	1 428 780	362 114	1 047 134	1 570 620
COOK ISLANDS	54	795	1 193	1 988	92	736	1 274
FIJI ISLANDS	1 105	4 190	6 278	10 487	354	1 257	1 886
FRENCH POLYNESIA	1 174	4 264	5 738	7 055	1 713	6 595	9 842
GUAM	16 746	44 567	133 665	36	18 219	44 453	133 359
MARIANA ISLANDS	622	3 119	12 476	0	607	2 846	11 384
NEW CALEDONIA	38	323	485	809	0	0	0
NEW ZEALAND	50 526	106 294	159 333	159 551	56 753	124 429	186 644
PAPUA & NEW GUINEA	643	2 377	3 566	5 943	654	2 442	3 764
RYUKYU ISLANDS	2 565	11 754	17 113	18 158	1 911	9 262	13 098
WEST SAMOA	3	11	17	28	0	0	0
TOTAL OCEANIA	426 832	1 134 885	1 780 285	1 639 908	442 882	1 241 211	1 936 822
ADJUSTMENTS							
GRAND TOTAL	11 091 507	30 589 853	46 555 898	30 600	37 980 457	11 939 748	37 385 526
							- 92 092
							48 419 215

NOTE --DATA SHOWN IN THIS TABLE COMPILED FROM RESPONSES TO COMMISSION RULE 43.61 IN 1972 THE TELEGRAPH CARRIERS REPORTED THAT THEY HANDED SOME 11 037 697 INBOUND TRANSIT TELEX MINUTES, AND SOME 10 500 476 OUTBOUND TRANSIT TELEX MINUTES OUT OF A COMBINED TOTAL OF 89 513 552 OVERSEAS TELEX MINUTES HANDLED. THE TOTAL TELEX REVENUES REPORTED HERE DIFFER FROM THE AMOUNT OF TELEPRINTER EXCHANGE SERVICE (TELEX) REVENUES REPORTED IN TABLE 34 FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS: (1) PAYMENTS TO DOMESTIC CARRIERS FOR EXTENSION HAUL WITHIN THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES EXCLUDING ALASKA WHEN THEIR FACILITIES ARE USED FOR THIS PURPOSE (BEYOND THE U.S. GATEWAYS FOR THE MOST PART) ARE INCLUDED HEREIN BUT EXCLUDED IN THE REVENUES IN TABLE 34. SUCH PAYMENTS ARE RECORDED AS REDUCTIONS OF REVENUES IN THE BOOKS OF ACCOUNTS OF THE CARRIERS. HOWEVER THEY ARE INCLUDED IN THE TRAFFIC TABLES BECAUSE THEY ARE NOT READILY ASSIGNABLE TO OVERSEAS CIRCUITS. SUCH PAYOUTS BY THE OVERSEAS CARRIERS AMOUNTED TO \$17 761 194 IN 1972.

(2) CERTAIN OVERSEAS CARRIERS FURNISH TELEX SERVICE AT FOREIGN POINTS WHICH DO NOT TOUCH THE UNITED STATES IN TRANSMISSION THE REVENUES FOR WHICH ARE INCLUDED IN TABLE 34 BUT EXCLUDED HEREIN. (3) THE REVENUES FROM TELEX TRAFFIC TRANSITING THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES ARE EXCLUDED FROM THIS TABLE BUT INCLUDED IN TABLE 34.

- INDICATES REVENUE LOSS

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TABLE 28 - EMPLOYEES OF WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO. CLASSIFIED BY OCCUPATIONAL GROUPS,
AND THEIR AVERAGE BASIC HOURLY RATES OF PAY AS OF OCTOBER 31, 1972 1.

OCCUPATIONAL GROUP	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES			AVERAGE SCHEDULED WEEKLY HOURS	AVERAGE BASIC HOURLY PAY 2
	TOTAL	MEN	WOMEN		
ALL EMPLOYEES EXCEPT OFFICIALS MANAGERIAL ASSISTANTS AND MESSENGERS	15,937	9,678	6,259	39.1	\$4.90
PROFESSIONAL AND SEMIPROFESSIONAL EMPLOYEES	1,104	897	207	37.8	7.38
ENGINEERS AND ENGINEERING ASSISTANTS	285	280	5	38.9	7.45
OTHERS	819	617	202	37.4	7.35
TELEGRAPH OFFICE SUPERINTENDENTS AND MANAGERS	1,042	665	377	39.9	4.58
SALES EMPLOYEES	508	491	17	36.7	6.30
CLERICAL EMPLOYEES	3,908	1,268	2,640	37.7	4.42
SUPERVISORS	857	506	351	37.8	5.53
NONSUPERVISORY EMPLOYEES	3,022	751	2,271	37.6	4.12
COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT	1,477	307	1,170	38.0	3.98
TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT	188	40	148	40.0	3.62
ALL OTHER DEPARTMENTS	1,357	404	953	36.9	4.34
ROUTE AIDS	29	11	18	40.0	3.21
TELEGRAPH OPERATORS	3,552	743	2,809	39.9	3.78
TRAFFIC MANAGERS, CHIEF OPERATORS, SUPERVISORS AND INSTRUCTORS	792	377	415	39.8	4.83
EXPERIENCED TELEGRAPH OPERATORS (EXCEPT MORSE OPERATORS)	1,287	256	1,031	39.9	3.72
COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT	540	125	415	39.9	3.73
TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT	747	131	616	40.0	3.72
SWITCHING CLERKS	-	-	-	-	-
OPERATORS IN TRAINING	441	34	407	40.0	2.73
OTHER OPERATORS	1,032	76	956	40.0	3.48
MORSE OPERATORS	5	4	1	40.0	3.83
TELEPHONE OPERATORS	1,027	72	955	40.0	3.48
CONSTRUCTION, INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE EMPLOYEES	5,505	5,369	136	39.9	5.49
TRAFFIC TESTING AND REGULATING EMPLOYEES	1,482	1,450	32	40.0	5.46
CONSTRUCTION, INSTALLATION, AND MAINTENANCE EMPLOYEES	3,960	3,856	104	39.8	5.51
FOREMEN	1,006	1,001	5	39.3	6.60
SUBSCRIBER'S EQUIPMENT MAINTAINERS	1,591	1,587	4	40.0	5.32
LINEMEN AND CABLEMEN	282	282	-	40.0	5.24
OTHERS	1,081	986	95	40.0	4.88
LABORERS	63	63	-	40.0	4.58
BUILDING SERVICE EMPLOYEES	318	245	73	40.0	3.48
MECHANICS	50	50	-	40.0	4.60
OTHERS	268	195	73	40.0	3.28
MESSENGERS	955	917	38	38.7	3.09
FULL-TIME EMPLOYEES	175	157	18	38.4	2.15
PART-TIME EMPLOYEES	51	50	1	21.5	2.18
FOOT AND BICYCLE MESSENGERS	226	207	19	34.6	2.16
MOTOR MESSENGERS	729	710	19	40.0	3.34

NOTE --COMPILED BY BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR IN COOPERATION WITH THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

1/ INCLUDES EMPLOYEES IN THE CONTERMINOUS 48 STATES AND THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

THE COMPANY DOES NOT OPERATE IN ALASKA AND HAWAII

2/ EXCLUDES PREMIUM PAY FOR OVERTIME AND FOR WORK ON WEEKENDS, HOLIDAYS AND LATE SHIFTS

TABLE 29 - EMPLOYEES OF OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS CLASSIFIED BY OCCUPATIONAL GROUPS,
AND THEIR AVERAGE BASIC HOURLY RATES OF PAY AS OF OCTOBER 31, 1972 1.

OCCUPATIONAL GROUP	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES			AVERAGE SCHEDULED WEEKLY HOURS	AVERAGE BASIC HOURLY PAY 2
	TOTAL	MEN	WOMEN		
ALL EMPLOYEES EXCEPT OFFICERS AND ASSISTANTS	4,661	3,829	832	36.9	\$5.75
ALL EMPLOYEES EXCEPT OFFICERS AND ASSISTANTS AND MESSENGERS	4,436	3,614	822	37.2	5.98
PROFESSIONAL AND SEMIPROFESSIONAL EMPLOYEES	589	564	25	7.2	8.26
ENGINEERS AND ENGINEERING ASSISTANTS	241	236	5	37.1	8.27
OTHERS	348	328	20	37.3	8.25
OFFICE OR STATION SUPERINTENDENTS AND ASSISTANTS	22	22	-	36.7	8.85
SALES EMPLOYEES	289	260	29	36.6	6.76
CLERICAL EMPLOYEES	1,274	703	571	37.0	4.95
SUPERVISORS	130	119	11	36.8	7.78
NONSUPERVISORY CLERICAL EMPLOYEES	1,144	584	560	37.0	4.63
OPERATING DEPARTMENT	375	259	116	37.3	4.77
COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT	105	28	77	37.4	4.44
ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT	391	190	201	36.4	4.47
ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT	63	24	39	40.2	4.27
ALL OTHER DEPARTMENTS	210	105	105	36.3	4.88
OPERATORS	1,133	945	188	37.5	5.49
TRAFFIC CHIEFS, DISPATCHERS, SUPERVISORS, INSTRUCTORS, AND ASSISTANTS	184	181	3	37.4	7.34
NONSUPERVISORY OPERATORS	949	764	185	37.5	5.13
RADIO OPERATORS	11	11	-	36.1	5.22
MARINE COASTAL STATION OPERATORS	114	114	-	37.5	5.68
CABLE OPERATORS	126	118	8	37.5	5.04
TELETYPE/MULTIPLEX OPERATORS	567	420	147	37.5	5.05
TELEPHONE OPERATORS	54	40	14	37.5	5.10
ALL OTHER OPERATORS	77	61	16	37.5	5.10
MESSENGERS	225	215	10	29.4	2.31
FOOT AND BICYCLE	216	206	10	29.1	2.27
MOTOR	9	9	-	37.5	3.13
CONSTRUCTION, INSTALLATION, MAINTENANCE AND OTHER TECHNICAL EMPLOYEES	1,046	1,038	8	37.5	5.96
SUPERVISORS	137	136	1	37.3	7.99
MECHANICS AND MAINTENANCE TECHNICIANS	482	482	-	37.5	5.67
RADIO OPERATING TECHNICIANS	136	131	5	37.5	5.65
RADIOTELEGRAPH RIGGERS	13	13	-	37.5	5.83
OTHERS	278	276	2	37.5	5.62
BUILDING SERVICE EMPLOYEES	77	76	1	37.5	4.33
ALL EMPLOYEES NOT ELSEWHERE CLASSIFIED	6	6	-	38.4	4.96

NOTE --COMPILED BY BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, IN COOPERATION WITH THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

1/ EXCLUDES 1,755 EMPLOYEES WORKING FOR THESE CARRIERS OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES (50 STATES AND THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA)

2/ EXCLUDES PREMIUM PAY FOR OVERTIME AND FOR WORK ON WEEKENDS, HOLIDAYS AND LATE SHIFTS

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TABLE 30 MONTHLY REVENUES FROM JANUARY 1957 TO DECEMBER 1972 INCLUSIVE
OF OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS
(THOUSANDS)

MONTH	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964
JANUARY	\$6 625	\$6 620	\$6 738	\$7 125	\$7 286	\$7 908	\$7 932	\$9 040
FEBRUARY	6 021	5 992	5 307	7 244	6 817	7 235	7 294	8 319
MARCH	6 380	6 414	6 845	7 711	7 768	8 040	8 053	8 858
APRIL	6 236	6 194	6 970	6 977	7 318	7 342	7 865	8 843
MAY	6 622	6 454	6 711	7 322	7 576	7 953	8 299	8 804
JUNE	6 185	6 294	7 094	7 227	7 693	7 621	7 871	9 133
JULY	6 491	6 607	7 096	6 814	7 119	7 558	8 319	9 313
AUGUST	6 207	6 163	6 848	7 169	7 687	7 715	8 098	8 658
SEPTEMBER	6 250	6 474	7 275	7 283	7 326	7 310	8 018	9 164
OCTOBER	6 843	6 862	7 495	7 164	7 807	8 270	8 970	9 479
NOVEMBER	6 255	6 140	7 102	7 065	7 614	7 654	8 384	8 479
DECEMBER	6 645	6 971	7 787	7 760	7 917	7 649	8 603	9 352
TOTAL	76 760	77 185	84 268	86 861	89 928	92 255	97 706	107 442
MONTH	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972
JANUARY	\$7 974	\$9 388	\$10 535	\$12 117	\$13 783	\$15 969	\$16 733	\$17 985
FEBRUARY	7 864	9 144	9 903	11 770	13 025	14 997	16 932	18 302
MARCH	8 939	10 365	10 760	11 875	14 449	16 513	18 275	18 968
APRIL	8 532	9 473	10 380	12 139	14 796	16 959	16 763	17 856
MAY	8 728	10 001	11 080	12 652	14 937	15 273	16 932	19 367
JUNE	9 090	10 406	11 608	12 212	14 954	16 221	16 718	18 981
JULY	8 857	9 978	10 890	13 118	15 574	16 166	16 672	18 012
AUGUST	8 917	10 666	11 411	13 329	14 839	15 421	17 162	19 030
SEPTEMBER	9 259	10 643	10 986	12 582	15 280	16 122	17 017	18 996
OCTOBER	9 573	10 295	11 523	14 012	16 090	16 554	16 849	19 565
NOVEMBER	9 511	10 485	11 278	13 832	14 945	15 748	16 816	19 413
DECEMBER	10 148	10 571	11 974	13 808	17 229	17 771	19 037	19 516
TOTAL	107 392	121 415	132 328	153 446	179 901	193 714	205 906	226 011

TABLE 31 INDEXES OF VARIOUS CLASSES OF DOMESTIC RECORD COMMUNICATIONS
(1967=100)

YEAR	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH MESSAGES		YEAR	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH MESSAGES		YEAR	TWX MESSAGES 1	
	DOMESTIC PUBLIC TELEGRAPH MESSAGES	DOMESTIC U.S. GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH MESSAGES		DOMESTIC PRESS MESSAGES (EQUATED)	DOMESTIC MONEY ORDER MESSAGES		WESTERN UNION PRIVATE LINE TELEGRAPH REVENUES 2	BELL SYSTEM PRIVATE LINE TELEGRAPH REVENUES 2
1930	256 1	0	1946	256 2	20 0			
1931	221 6	0	1947	258 3	20 8			
1932	172 9	7	1948	230 8	24 7			
1933	173 4	1 3	1949	211 8	27 1			
1934	187 5	3 4	1950	216 2	31 2			
1935	213 0	5 9	1951	217 7	34 6			
1936	233 9	8 6	1952	183 3	38 8			
1937	242 5	10 5	1953	196 0	42 5			
1938	224 3	11 0	1954	184 4	44 2			
1939	228 4	12 6	1955	186 0	48 1			
1940	231 6	13 9	1956	183 2	51 0			
1941	254 9	16 1	1957	173 9	53 6			
1942	269 6	23 3	1958	159 3	57 5			
1943	279 9	30 5	1959	158 3	65 2			
1944	272 4	29 6	1960	150 2	65 2			
1945	285 3	26 1	1961	141 7	76 1			
YEAR 1962	81 2	136 2	128 3	115 5	83 8	133 4	98 2	
JAN	83 8	142 0	138 4	102 2	85 8	134 8	94 5	
FEB	80 8	123 7	127 3	124 1	85 1	137 9	109 3	
MAR	77 7	178 9	124 2	111 1	77 7	123 1	103 8	
APR	81 8	141 0	128 1	111 8	86 9	139 4	104 8	
MAY	80 1	131 1	120 8	129 7	81 8	140 1	102 4	
JUNE	77 1	137 4	120 7	104 7	84 0	143 3	102 6	
JULY	83 9	142 2	128 0	129 4	83 8	143 7	93 2	
AUG	84 1	144 1	128 2	127 3	85 6	133 0	99 9	
SEPT	78 0	135	122 6	125 6	81 4	120 7	94 2	
OCT	57 4	147 4	167 1	115 1	87 3	133 4	92 1	
NOV	83 4	134 7	118 6	112 6	81 3	130 4	89 6	
DEC	73 8	132 1	120 4	99 3	84 0	123 6	94 3	

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TABLE 31 INDEXES OF VARIOUS CLASSES OF DOMESTIC RECORD COMMUNICATIONS--CONTINUED
(1967=100)

YEAR AND MDNTH	TWX MESSAGES 1.	DOMESTIC PUBLIC TELEGRAPH MESSAGES	DOMESTIC U S GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH MESSAGES	DOMESTIC PRESS MESSAGES (EQUATED)	DOMESTIC MONEY ORDER MESSAGES	WESTERN UNION PRIVATE LINE TELEGRAPH REVENUES 2/	BELL SYSTEM PRIVATE LINE TELEGRAPH REVENUES 2/
YEAR 1963							
JAN	88 1	123 8	116 7	110 8	83 5	129 2	96 2
FEB	90 8	129 9	125 3	100 6	85 7	133 4	88 3
MAR	88 9	123 1	110 8	107 9	85 4	127 9	100 0
APR	81 8	115 3	102 5	94 9	76 0	116 1	100 4
MAY	95 3	133 5	116 3	113 5	89 8	130 6	100 6
JUNE	88 0	116 5	108 4	133 2	83 1	133 2	102 2
JULY	81 8	110 7	104 0	112 2	81 9	132 6	103 3
AUG	96 8	131 8	126 9	128 0	85 0	124 1	99 7
SEPT	87 4	126 0	116 8	110 4	86 1	128 2	92 2
OCT	87 1	124 4	111 1	110 3	81 5	133 1	95 1
NOV	92 7	130 1	136 7	102 2	84 4	127 4	89 6
DEC	81 5	118 4	131 5	109 8	80 5	134 7	91 7
	86 5	130 7	124 4	114 9	83 3	130 8	93 6
YEAR 1964							
JAN	95 6	115 1	99 5	112 1	85 0	125 8	92 9
FEB	96 1	119 4	109 3	97 5	87 0	127 6	87 3
MAR	93 9	112 7	96 1	122 2	88 9	126 3	99 4
APR	86 6	109 1	89 8	96 3	80 5	118 4	97 4
MAY	100 4	118 1	101 7	109 9	85 1	129 4	98 4
JUNE	89 9	99 8	81 5	109 2	84 1	131 1	99 1
JULY	96 0	109 1	98 1	99 1	85 4	135 5	97 7
AUG	106 5	125 1	116 1	158 2	88 0	130 4	99 4
SEPT	91 5	117 6	100 0	133 0	83 3	122 7	68 0
OCT	99 4	121 1	95 8	110 5	84 3	121 4	94 0
NOV	97 0	119 0	107 5	117 4	87 2	124 0	90 3
DEC	91 6	113 3	103 2	96 7	80 6	123 2	93 6
	100 8	122 6	104 5	101 9	86 6	121 1	92 5
YEAR 1965							
JAN	96 9	109 6	100 4	104 5	87 3	119 0	98 0
FEB	97 7	105 5	81 7	95 6	85 9	123 6	111 1
MAR	101 4	106 1	95 3	103 1	87 2	123 9	101 1
APR	101 6	109 0	81 8	100 1	80 2	111 3	97 5
MAY	109 4	115 0	95 4	102 2	93 4	122 7	99 1
JUNE	92 5	96 5	85 2	113 1	84 4	124 0	99 9
JULY	101 0	105 2	94 6	105 7	87 2	123 2	100 6
AUG	100 6	117 2	113 9	113 4	90 1	124 6	98 9
SEPT	91 8	113 4	106 6	107 0	86 1	118 8	91 1
OCT	98 3	114 5	105 9	104 0	88 2	114 3	96 1
NOV	95 5	107 9	114 1	101 6	86 1	113 4	91 3
DEC	95 8	111 0	121 8	102 8	86 6	116 0	93 9
	102 4	117 9	129 6	108 2	92 2	113 7	96 4
YEAR 1966							
JAN	100 3	106 0	106 0	99 5	95 1	110 6	97 5
FEB	100 2	106 3	113 0	93 9	92 7	113 7	92 9
MAR	102 6	108 0	108 9	99 3	94 3	111 7	101 5
APR	101 1	106 7	98 8	96 0	85 0	103 4	95 5
MAY	105 3	107 2	109 3	96 1	99 7	115 7	102 1
JUNE	99 0	98 9	88 6	106 2	93 8	141 8	102 2
JULY	103 1	90 7	90 9	85 8	85 4	109 9	100 7
AUG	102 3	108 7	110 4	106 5	98 7	105 6	103 4
SEPT	104 8	113 6	104 8	98 0	97 9	102 6	98 1
OCT	102 9	111 6	115 7	108 3	96 8	93 6	97 3
NOV	96 5	106 0	108 8	99 8	98 4	102 1	91 1
DEC	88 0	106 7	116 7	108 8	97 3	102 1	93 1
	98 5	110 7	120 7	97 6	101 1	127 3	94 4
YEAR 1967							
JAN	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0
FEB	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0
MAR	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0
APR	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0
MAY	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0
JUNE	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0
JULY	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0
AUG	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0
SEPT	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0
OCT	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0
NOV	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0
DEC	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	100 0

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TABLE 31 INDEXES OF VARIOUS CLASSES OF DOMESTIC RECORD COMMUNICATIONS--CONTINUED
(1967=100)

YEAR AND MONTH	TWX MESSAGES 1	DOMESTIC PUBLIC TELEGRAPH MESSAGES	DOMESTIC U S GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH MESSAGES	DOMESTIC PRESS MESSAGES (EQUATED)	DOMESTIC MONEY ORDER MESSAGES	WESTERN UNION PRIVATE LINE TELEGRAPH REVENUES 2/	BELL SYSTEM PRIVATE LINE TELEGRAPH REVENUES 2/
YEAR 1968							
JAN	104.6	94.1	90.6	104.3	107.2	104.6	105.9
FEB	103.3	97.2	84.7	97.0	119.7	104.4	100.0
MAR	116.4	95.8	96.7	102.0	111.4	104.6	111.7
APR	96.6	82.6	83.7	96.4	95.3	92.2	105.3
MAY	109.0	100.3	92.1	96.0	111.1	108.5	110.9
JUNE	89.8	85.8	85.1	102.9	100.8	106.8	108.1
JULY	121.0	103.6	102.4	97.8	118.6	105.6	107.6
AUG	103.1	95.1	84.5	146.5	107.9	111.4	101.8
SEPT	101.8	93.4	86.8	108.1	104.7	98.8	101.3
OCT	109.7	100.0	102.3	116.8	110.0	104.3	95.4
NOV	100.0	101.9	95.6	99.9	107.3	107.6	108.1
DEC	103.3	88.3	91.1	97.8	104.8	108.4	112.4
YEAR 1969							
JAN	98.7	80.5	81.6	114.4	109.1	111.5	114.7
FEB	113.4	83.2	89.8	125.1	112.7	107.0	111.9
MAR	109.8	81.7	82.4	128.7	111.7	115.8	121.5
APR	96.7	74.2	75.0	119.2	100.0	100.8	117.8
MAY	100.3	84.7	83.1	112.0	117.9	112.8	120.5
JUNE	94.9	78.1	67.8	119.3	110.6	117.2	118.4
JULY	92.6	72.8	71.6	104.3	106.0	113.6	120.3
AUG	103.8	91.3	89.8	127.3	109.4	116.0	117.9
SEPT	89.8	78.4	76.9	97.1	111.3	109.3	113.0
OCT	98.2	81.5	85.7	105.3	106.8	107.9	113.0
NOV	101.4	85.9	85.0	108.3	111.5	114.1	106.4
DEC	88.5	74.7	92.1	103.2	104.9	111.0	121.0
YEAR 1970							
JAN	96.3	69.5	72.0	99.8	109.2	105.1	108.2
FEB	98.1	75.8	74.0	93.6	113.3	112.3	107.7
MAR	101.8	74.4	66.3	110.6	111.9	108.5	117.7
APR	94.0	75.5	83.0	97.7	123.9	101.6	116.7
MAY	119.7	77.3	76.7	114.8	113.3	111.9	114.2
JUNE	79.3	69.8	69.1	105.0	106.2	116.3	117.4
JULY	97.2	64.6	68.8	85.7	110.1	111.9	112.9
AUG	103.7	74.4	79.8	104.9	109.7	106.4	110.6
SEPT	67.0	63.1	63.6	109.3	105.1	102.6	103.7
OCT	96.8	67.7	63.7	97.7	104.0	99.5	104.9
NOV	95.1	63.8	77.5	95.3	107.4	96.3	94.0
DEC	89.5	60.5	68.2	102.7	99.5	102.9	98.8
YEAR 1971							
JAN	95.8	41.2	43.3	65.6	70.3	102.4	102.8
FEB	93.1	56.8	56.8	92.0	101.9	103.9	100.9
MAR	98.5	58.3	54.2	107.4	102.8	108.3	107.2
APR	95.4	56.1	61.0	96.0	95.3	96.4	108.6
MAY	109.8	59.5	56.0	83.5	111.9	108.5	108.6
JUNE	118.9	51.5	52.0	89.4	95.4	110.0	107.5
JULY	106.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	110.8	104.9
AUG	87.8	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	97.8	106.2
SEPT	90.8	46.2	46.7	62.1	66.5	98.4	100.8
OCT	89.9	39.9	49.8	66.2	69.1	95.3	99.8
NOV	84.6	40.0	49.8	71.3	75.2	102.8	95.6
DEC	95.4	41.3	49.2	59.2	74.3	100.2	95.4
YEAR 1972							
JAN	100.5	42.7	51.0	62.5	75.6	98.0	100.3
FEB	98.2	35.2	31.8	43.3	69.6	102.3	102.3
MAR	88.6	38.4	40.7	42.0	76.2	0	101.5
APR	100.6	38.5	27.3	43.2	78.9	4	108.1
MAY	97.7	36.1	39.1	46.5	72.1	4	92.6
JUNE	100.0	36.1	32.2	46.7	71.2	4	108.7
JULY	95.8	35.9	28.1	37.7	68.1	4	108.5
AUG	107.6	32.9	31.6	44.3	67.4	4	108.8
SEPT	90.0	35.1	32.3	49.9	67.6	4	105.7
OCT	101.5	33.4	31.8	42.5	69.7	4	102.6
NOV	97.0	33.5	26.9	36.1	67.5	4	96.5
DEC	100.4	32.0	32.6	35.8	64.2	4	94.6
YEAR 1973							
JAN	98.4	30.4	29.2	43.1	66.2	4	95.2

1. PRIOR TO APRIL 1971 THIS INDEX WAS BASED ON THE NUMBER OF MESSAGES REPORTED BY THE BELL COMPANIES ONLY. TELETYPEWRITER EXCHANGE SERVICE (TWX) WAS FIRST OFFERED BY THE BELL COMPANIES IN 1931. THIS SERVICE WAS SOLO TO WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY APRIL 1 1971. WESTERN UNION TWX INDICES DO NOT INCLUDE ADMINISTRATIVE MESSAGES. 1972 TWX REVENUES AMOUNTED TO \$76,143,446. WESTERN UNION'S DOMESTIC TELETYPE WRITER EXCHANGE SERVICE (TELEX) BEGAN IN 1958. ITS 1972 REVENUES AMOUNTED TO \$77,695,870.

2. WESTERN UNION AND BELL SYSTEM PRIVATE LINE TELEGRAPH REVENUES INDEXED ABOVE DO NOT INCLUDE REVENUES FROM RELATIVELY NEW BUT RAPIDLY GROWING PRIVATE LINE SERVICES SUCH AS TELPAK, DATA TRANSMISSION ALTERNATE TELEPHONE AND TELETYPEWRITER AND ALTERNATE TELEPHONE AND DATA BELL SYSTEM'S TELPAK WHICH COMMENCED IN FEBRUARY 1961 PRODUCED \$368,961,295 IN 1972 AND WESTERN UNION'S TELPAK WHICH COMMENCED IN JUNE 1962 PRODUCED \$5,832,503 IN 1972. WESTERN UNION RECEIVED \$55,709,044 FROM DATA SERVICE THE LARGER PROPORTION OF WHICH WAS FOR AUTOIN -- THE AUTOMATIC DIGITAL DATA NETWORK SERVING THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE.

3. WESTERN UNION STRIKE FROM JUNE 1 1971 THROUGH JULY 26 1971.

4. WESTERN UNION PRIVATE LINE TELEGRAPH REVENUES FOR 1972 WERE NOT AVAILABLE ON A MONTHLY BASIS. HOWEVER QUARTERLY PRIVATE LINE TELEGRAPH REVENUES WERE REPORTED AND INDEXES ARE SHOWN ON A QUARTERLY BASIS.

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TABLE 32 - COMMUNICATION PLANT OF WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31 1972

ACCOUNT	BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	ADDITIONS DURING YEAR	RETIREMENTS DURING YEAR	ADJUSTMENTS AND TRANSFERS	BALANCE AT END OF YEAR
COMMUNICATION PLANT IN SERVICE					
LAND	\$2,610,771	\$4,944	\$21,614	\$0	\$2,594,101
LAND IMPROVEMENTS	4,610,113	54,102	-12,577	0	4,676,792
BUILDINGS	11,540,381	121,837	123,163	0	11,539,055
POLES	16,721,203	515,158	7,443,577	0	9,792,784
AERIAL WIRE	13,783,048	84,903	7,930,616	0	5,937,335
AERIAL CABLE	6,208,621	295,480	1,056,045	0	5,448,056
UNDERGROUND CABLE	17,267,146	1,437,146	72,927	0	18,631,365
BURIED CABLE	401,591	5,527	21,452	0	385,666
SUBMARINE CABLE	673,022	0	66,875	0	606,147
HOUSE CABLE	717,295	8,674	1,913	0	724,056
UNDERGROUND CONDUIT	18,702,713	344,457	1,100,528	0	17,946,642
PNEUMATIC TUBES	479,891	0	74,082	0	405,809
TOWERS AND MASTS	4,969,645	-6,704	24	0	4,962,917
ANTENNA SYSTEMS	7,402,612	60,786	16,129	0	7,447,269
CONTROL LINES	794,271	61,521	20,839	0	834,953
POWER-SUPPLY LINES	369,292	2,057	0	0	371,349
MESSAGE TRANSMIT AND RECEIVE EQUIPMENT	184,054,372	67,614,583	25,858,598	0	225,810,357
REPEATER AND TERMINAL EQUIPMENT	84,829,251	20,436,340	7,891,316	0	97,374,275
SWITCHBOARDS AND DISTRIBUTING FRAMES	90,600,699	16,991,917	2,741,423	0	104,851,193
PNEUMATIC-TUBE AND CONVEYOR EQUIPMENT	1,689,293	60,541	329,468	0	1,420,366
POWER EQUIPMENT	21,870,706	2,274,685	834,515	0	23,310,876
MESSANGER CALL-CIRCUIT EQUIPMENT	70,163	1,112	19,281	0	51,994
TIME-SERVICE EQUIPMENT	664,618	13,686	102,185	0	576,119
TICKER AND COMMERCIAL NEWS					
SERVICE EQUIPMENT	1,513,196	-18,199	136,641	0	1,358,356
OFFICE CABLE AND CONDUIT	22,990,671	4,243,470	1,159,366	0	26,074,775
EQUIPMENT FURNISHED CUSTOMERS	444,423,163	97,166,300	70,838,397	0	470,751,066
OTHER INSIDE COMMUNICATION PLANT	2,129,600	693,191	1,120,546	0	1,702,245
FURNITURE AND OFFICE EQUIPMENT	27,517,431	4,938,536	1,859,551	0	30,596,416
SHIP STATION EQUIPMENT	7,786	0	0	0	7,786
VEHICLES	7,584,161	3,352,437	1,669,578	0	9,267,020
SHOP EQUIPMENT, TOOLS AND INSTRUMENTS	10,509,736	2,348,640	52,444	0	12,805,932
STORE AND WAREHOUSE EQUIPMENT	452,589	55,254	41,434	0	466,409
FLOATING EQUIPMENT	27,857	9,087	9,077	0	27,867
RAILWAY EQUIPMENT	33,460	0	16,041	0	17,419
EMERGENCY FACILITIES	781,032	44,332	2,059	0	823,305
LABORATORY EQUIPMENT	6,120,056	13,534,018	125,650	0	19,779,724
ORGANIZATION	0	0	0	0	0
FRANCHISES	0	0	0	0	0
PATENT RIGHTS	0	0	0	0	0
LEASEHOLDS	0	0	0	0	0
RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT	35,671,567	2,759,188	3,753,121	0	34,677,634
OTHER INTANGIBLES	141,472	0	0	-17	141,453
SUB TOTAL	1,050,934,494	239,509,006	136,246,598	-19	1,154,196,883
PLANT ACQUIRED-UNDISTRIBUTED CHARGES	4,228,904	9,286,302	0	0	13,515,206
PLANT SOLD-UNDISTRIBUTED CREDITS	0	0	0	0	0
OPERATED PLANT LEASED TO OTHERS	0	0	0	0	0
IMPROVEMENTS AND REPLACEMENTS OF OPERATED PLANT	13,476,243	1,270,047	362,677	0	14,383,513
TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT IN SERVICE	1,068,639,641	250,065,355	136,609,275	-19	1,182,095,702
PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	163,702,105	-13,210,365	0	0	150,491,740
PLANT HELD FOR FUTURE COMMUNICATION USE	2,905,936	-7,754	47,337	0	2,850,845
PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENTS	0	0	0	0	0
GRAND TOTAL	1,235,247,682	236,847,236	136,656,612	-19	1,335,438,287

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1. REFLECTS COST OF REPAIRS, RENOVATIONS, ETC INCIDENT TO CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION CHARGED TO OPERATING EXPENSES

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TABLE 33 COMMUNICATION PLANT OF OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31 1972

ACCOUNT	BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	ADDITIONS DURING YEAR	RETIREMENTS DURING YEAR	ADJUSTMENTS AND TRANSFERS	BALANCE AT END OF YEAR
COMMUNICATION PLANT IN SERVICE					
LAND	\$1 671 494	\$112 256	\$17 203	\$0	\$1 766 547
LAND IMPROVEMENTS	547 207	14 955	3 555	0	558 607
BUILDINGS	12 345 257	920 849	73 164	149 424	13 043 518
POLES	84	0	0	0	84
AERIAL WIRE	9 066	0	0	0	9 066
AERIAL CABLE	8 389	0	0	0	8 389
UNDERGROUND CABLE	44 611	0	0	0	44 611
BURIED CABLE	0	0	0	0	0
SUBMARINE CABLE	10 646	0	0	0	10 646
UNDERGROUND CONDUIT	25 623	0	18	0	25 605
PNEUMATIC TUBES	0	0	0	0	0
TOWERS AND MASTS	2 889 088	576	38 266	0	2 851 398
ANTENNA SYSTEMS	3 097 799	34 084	13 818	1	3 118 066
CONTROL LINES	400 338	55 575	0	0	455 913
POWER-SUPPLY LINES	315 380	0	2 446	2 200	310 734
OCEAN CABLE	73 722 876	1,665 735	316 963	-36	75 071 612
OCEAN CABLE FRANCHISES	360 249	10 959	12 726	0	358 482
MESSAGE TRANSMITTING AND RECEIVING EQUIPMENT AND REPEATER AND TERMINAL EQUIPMENT	33 892 177	1,306 798	867 072	81 687	34 250 216
SWITCHBOARDS AND DISTRIBUTING FRAMES	3 202 296	114 094	138 970	0	3 177 420
PNEUMATIC TUBE AND CONVEYOR EQUIPMENT	62 308	0	2 790	0	59 518
POWER EQUIPMENT	8 308 657	469 718	138 854	140 672	8 780 193
MESSENDER CALL CIRCUIT EQUIPMENT	527	0	0	0	527
TIME-SERVICE EQUIPMENT	10 843	10 538	675	0	20 706
TICKER AND COMMERCIAL NEWS SERVICE EQUIPMENT	4 787	1	0	0	4 788
OFFICE CABLE AND CONDUIT	387 665	48 221	5 617	0	430 269
COOLING APPARATUS	317 410	10 463	0	0	327 873
CONTROL APPARATUS	144 468 462	23 656 303	1 951 579	-1 669 854	164 503 332
EQUIPMENT FURNISHED CUSTOMERS	45 752 171	9 806 498	2 243 731	- 369 550	52 945 388
OTHER INSIDE COMMUNICATION PLANT	0	0	0	11 841	11 841
FURNITURE AND OFFICE EQUIPMENT	7 625 529	1 264 994	308 238	7 246	8 589 531
SHIP STATION EQUIPMENT	0	0	0	0	0
VEHICLES AND DRAFT ANIMALS	544 426	30 752	58 971	- 309	515 898
SHOP EQUIPMENT TOOLS AND INSTRUMENTS	4 325 600	344 820	34 054	85 458	4 550 908
STORE AND WAREHOUSE EQUIPMENT	2 572	0	0	58	2 514
FLOATING EQUIPMENT	50 107	0	0	0	50 107
RAILWAY EQUIPMENT	0	0	0	0	0
EMERGENCY FACILITIES	0	0	0	0	0
LABORATORY EQUIPMENT	96 295	319	0	0	96 614
ORGANIZATION	0	0	0	0	0
FRANCHISES	0	0	0	0	0
PATENT RIGHTS	1	0	0	0	1
LEASEHOLDS	25 694	0	0	0	25 694
RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT	97 694	0	0	0	97 694
OTHER INTANGIBLES	49 738	3 000	0	0	52 738
 SUB-TOTAL	 344 673 066	 39 881 508	 6 228 710	 -2 198 816	 376 127 048
 PLANT ACQUIRED-UNDISTRIBUTED CHARGES	 53 622	 101 202	 0	 1	 154 825
PLANT SOLD UNDISTRIBUTED CREDITS	4 339	- 109 988	0	0	- 105 649
OPERATED PLANT LEASED TO OTHERS	0	0	0	0	0
IMPROVEMENTS AND REPLACEMENTS OF OPERATED PLANT LEASED FROM OTHERS	9 876 029	1 957 796	167 100	147 794	11 814 519
TELEPHONE PLANT	10 790	0	0	0	10 790
 TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT IN SERVICE	 354 617 846	 41 830 518	 6 395 810	 -2 051 021	 388 001 533
 PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	 20 683 488	 177 798	 912 273	 -91 111	 19 502 306
PLANT HELD FOR FUTURE COMMUNICATION USE	380 482	194 805	0	0	575 287
PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENTS	2 275 993	0	0	0	2 275 993
SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	15 393 978	755 384	147 669	14 224	15 987 469
FOREIGN EARTH STATIONS	452 250	0	0	0	452 250
 GRAND TOTAL	 389 252 051	 42 602 909	 7 455 752	 -2 156 356	 422 242 852

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TABLE 34 --STATISTICS OF DOMESTIC AND OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS REPORTING ANNUALLY TO THE COMMISSION
AS OF DECEMBER 31 1972 AND FOR YEAR THEN ENDED

NO	ITEM	TOTAL TELEGRAPH CARRIERS 1	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH CARRIER	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS
			WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO 2	TOTAL OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS 3
CONDENSED BALANCE SHEET--ASSET SIDE				
1	COMMUNICATION PLANT			
1	PLANT IN SERVICE	\$1,570,549,487	\$1,182,095,702	\$388,453,785
2	PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	169,994,046	150,491,740	19,502,306
3	PLANT HELD FOR FUTURE COMMUNICATION USE	3,426,132	2,850,845	575,287
4	PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENTS	-2,275,993	0	-2,275,993
5	SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	15,987,469	0	15,987,469
6	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	1,757,681,141	1,335,438,287	422,242,854
7	LESS ALLOWANCE FOR DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION	499,148,602	384,113,662	115,034,940
8	EARTH STATION DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION RESERVES	5,151,825	0	5,151,825
9	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--NET	1,253,380,714	951,324,625	302,056,089
10	INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS			
10	MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	17,933,145	13,142,010	4,791,135
11	LESS ALLOWANCE FOR DEPRECIATION	10,726,137	7,228,295	3,497,842
12	MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY--NET	7,207,008	5,913,715	1,293,293
13	INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATES	91,691,442	272,161	91,419,281
14	OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	4,455,706	1,396,731	3,058,975
15	LESS ALLOWANCE FOR DOUBTFUL INVESTMENTS	2,395,862	466,951	1,928,911
16	TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	100,958,294	7,115,656	93,842,638
17	CURRENT ASSETS			
17	CASH	48,581,105	39,860,271	8,720,834
18	TEMPORARY INVESTMENTS	6,332,036	0	6,332,036
19	RECEIVABLES FROM AFFILIATES	6,060,325	1,858,714	4,201,611
20	OTHER RECEIVABLES	131,358,561	72,062,094	59,296,467
21	LESS ALLOWANCE FOR UNCOLLECTIBLE RECEIVABLES	4,792,821	2,843,309	1,949,512
22	MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	65,333,584	57,529,115	7,804,469
23	ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	12,995,776	12,146,561	849,215
24	TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	265,868,566	180,613,446	85,255,120
25	PREPAYMENTS	4,256,652	3,141,437	1,115,215
26	DEFERRED CHARGES	51,622,349	36,894,738	14,727,611
27	TOTAL--ASSET SIDE	1,676,086,575	1,179,089,902	496,996,673
CONDENSED BALANCED SHEET--LIABILITY SIDE				
28	LONG TERM DEBT	457,544,998	342,447,989	115,097,009
29	CURRENT LIABILITIES			
29	PAYABLES TO AFFILIATES	64,161,646	47,046,421	17,115,225
30	OTHER PAYABLES	102,982,790	61,576,431	41,406,359
31	TAX ACCRUALS	17,607,307	5,539,648	12,067,659
32	OTHER ACCRUALS	26,895,086	16,063,572	10,831,514
33	ALL OTHER CURRENT LIABILITIES	77,236,597	5,286,801	1,949,796
34	TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	218,883,426	135,512,873	83,370,553
35	PROVISIONS FOR FUTURE SETTLEMENTS			
35	PROVISIONS FOR EMPLOYEES' PENSIONS AND WELFARE	3,885,001	1,042,838	2,842,163
36	OTHER PROVISIONS FOR FUTURE SETTLEMENTS	1,094,731	742,237	352,494
37	TOTAL PROVISIONS FOR FUTURE SETTLEMENTS	4,979,732	1,785,075	3,194,657
38	DEFERRED CREDITS	0	1/	0
38	LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION INCOME TAX DIFFERENTIALS	0	0	0
39	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	15,437,624	9,164,922	6,272,702
40	OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS			604,765

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TABLE 34 STATISTICS OF DOMESTIC AND OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS REPORTING ANNUALLY TO THE COMMISSION AS OF DECEMBER 31 1972 AND FOR YEAR THEN ENDED CONTINUED

NO	ITEM	TOTAL TELEGRAPH CARRIERS 1	DOMESTIC TELEGRAPH CARRIER	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS
			WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO 2	TOTAL OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS 3
41	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	15 437 624	9 164 922	6 272 702
42	COMMON STOCK	22 506 200	12 500 000	10 006 200
43	PREFERRED STOCK	54 025 000	54 025 000	0
44	CAPITAL SURPLUS	609 263 530	466 267 781	142 995 749
	EARNED SURPLUS			
45	RESERVATIONS OF EARNED SURPLUS	0	0	0
46	UNAPPROPRIATED EARNED SURPLUS	293 446 065	157 386 262	136 059 803
47	TOTAL EARNED SURPLUS	293 446 065	157 386 262	136 059 803
48	TOTAL - LIABILITY SIDE	1 676 086 575	1 179 089 902	496 996 673
	INCOME AND EARNED SURPLUS STATEMENT			
49	OPERATING REVENUES	659 349 369	431 761 824	227 587 545
	OPERATING REVENUE DEDUCTIONS			
50	OPERATING EXPENSES	423 801 710	281 052 465	142 749 245
51	DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION	94 797 801	72 279 499	22 518 302
52	AMORTIZATION OF PLANT-ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENTS	110 701	0	110 701
53	SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	9 511 723	6 880 408	2 631 315
54	OTHER OPERATING TAXES (EXCLUDING FEDERAL INCOME TAXES)	20 058 486	12 208 000	7 850 486
55	UNCOLLECTIBLE REVENUES	3 931 651	2 490 256	1 441 395
56	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	3 068 945	0	3 068 945
57	ALL OTHER OPERATING REVENUE DEDUCTIONS	1 979 908	1 730 793	249 115
58	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE DEDUCTIONS	557 039 523	376 641 421	180 398 102
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	102 309 846	55 120 403	47 189 443
60	OTHER COMMUNICATIONS INCOME	23 738	4 345	19 393
61	OPERATING INCOME	102 333 584	55 124 748	47 208 836
62	INCOME FROM MERCHANTISING JOBBING AND CONTRACTING	364 411	368 269	3 858
63	OTHER ORDINARY INCOME - NONCOMMUNICATION	4 406 200	1 316 410	3 089 790
64	TOTAL ORDINARY INCOME - NONCOMMUNICATION	4 770 611	1 684 679	1 183 452
65	GROSS ORDINARY INCOME	107 104 195	56 809 427	50 294 768
66	INTEREST EXPENSE	31 028 408	23 272 781	7 755 627
67	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION - CR	10 002 098	8 774 487	1 227 611
68	OTHER DEDUCTIONS FROM ORDINARY INCOME	4 729 864	3 607 509	1 122 355
69	TOTAL DEDUCTIONS FROM ORDINARY INCOME	25 756 174	18 105 803	7 650 371
70	NET ORDINARY INCOME	81 348 021	38 703 624	42 644 397
71	EXTRAORDINARY INCOME - CREDITS	4 882 841	1 406 857	3 475 984
72	EXTRAORDINARY INCOME - CHARGES	139 538	27 574	111 964
73	NET INCOME	86 091 324	40 082 907	46 008 417
	DEDUCTIONS FROM NET INCOME			
74	INVESTMENT CREDITS - NET	0	5	6
75	PROVISION FOR FEDERAL INCOME TAXES	11 886 467	0	11 886 467
76	INCOME TAX DIFFERENTIALS FROM LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION	0	1	0
77	OTHER DEDUCTIONS FROM NET INCOME	0	0	0
78	TOTAL DEDUCTIONS FROM NET INCOME	11 886 467	0	11 886 467

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			WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO 2	TOTAL OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS 3	ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS INC 4
79	NET INCOME TRANSFERRED TO EARNED SURPLUS	74 204 857	40 082 907	34 121 950	14 812 240
80	UNAPPROPRIATED EARNED SURPLUS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	258 930 735	144 366 105	114 564 630	33 762 969
81	EARNED SURPLUS--CREDITORS	0	0	0	0
82	EARNED SURPLUS--CHARGES	0	0	0	0
83	EARNED SURPLUS AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION	333 105 590	184 419 012	148 686 578	48 575 209
84	MISCELLANEOUS APPROPRIATIONS OF EARNED SURPLUS	0	0	0	0
85	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS OF EARNED SURPLUS	39 659 525	27 032 750	12 626 775	6 920 000
86	UNAPPROPRIATED EARNED SURPLUS AT END OF YEAR	293 446 065	157 386 262	136 059 803	41 655 209
	DIVIDENDS				
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
87	COMMON STOCK	36 626 775	24 000 000	12 626 775	6 920 000
88	AMOUNT PER \$100 BOOK VALUE	-	3 77	-	8 18
89	PREFERRED STOCK	3 032 750	3 032 750	0	0
90	RATE PER \$100 PAR VALUE	-	5 54	-	00
	OPERATING REVENUES				
	TRANSMISSION REVENUE				
	MESSAGE REVENUE				
91	PUBLIC MESSAGE REVENUE	128 025 135	82 749 812	45 275 323	12 894 445
92	GOVERNMENT MESSAGE REVENUE	4 024 362	2 814 820	1 209 542	486 672
93	PRESS MESSAGE REVENUE	1 651 752	1 402 358	249 394	68 471
94	OTHER COMMUTED-RATE REVENUE	81 612	0	81 612	69 599
95	MONEY-ORDER MESSAGE REVENUE	2 547 512	2 547 512	0	0
96	CONTRACT (CAK) MESSAGE REVENUE	35 029	35 029	0	0
97	NEWS (CND) SERVICE MESSAGE REVENUE	28 014	28 014	0	0
98	SHIP STATION REVENUE	165 587	0	165 587	138 925
99	DOMESTIC TRANSMISSION OF TANSONEANIC AND MARINE MESSAGES	18 330 830	13 496 506	4 834 324	1 969 618
100	OTHER MESSAGE REVENUE	2 061 337	0	2 061 337	115 810
101	TOTAL MESSAGE REVENUE	156 951 170	103 074 051	53 877 119	15 743 540
	OTHER TRANSMISSION REVENUE				
102	TELEPRINTER EXCHANGE SERVICE REVENUE	164 759 837	77 695 870	87 063 967	34 825 851
103	TWX SERVICE	76 143 446	76 143 446	0	0
104	OTHER SCHEDULED TRANSMISSION SERVICE REVENUE	2 717 844	0	2 717 844	500 359
105	BROADCAST-PROGRAM SERVICE REVENUE	3 316 024	0	3 316 024	1 282 614
	NEWS (CND) SERVICE REVENUE				
106	TICKER SERVICE REVENUE	407 813	407 813	0	0
107	BULLETIN SERVICE REVENUE	72 049	0	72 049	13 846
108	FACSIMILE OR PHOTOGRAFIC SERVICE REVENUE	371 817	183	371 634	169 920
109	TELEPHONE SERVICE REVENUE	13 090 523	5 265 473	7 825 050	0
110	MISCELLANEOUS TRANSMISSION SERVICE REVENUE	67 590	0	67 590	0
111	TOTAL OTHER TRANSMISSION REVENUE	260 946 943	159 512 785	101 434 158	36 792 590
112	TOTAL TRANSMISSION REVENUE	417 898 113	262 586 836	155 311 277	52 536 130
	NONTRANSMISSION REVENUE				
113	REVENUE FROM FURNISHING AND SERVICING STATIONS	119 540	0	119 540	42 970
114	LEASED-CIRCUIT REVENUE	173 207 438	115 471 950	57 735 488	17 641 418
115	MEASURED-SERVICE REVENUE	9 904 569	9 904 569	0	0
116	OTHER LEASED PLANT REVENUE	10 486 863	4 077 539	6 409 324	2 184 506
117	CODE-REGISTRATION REVENUE	1 013 504	763 953	249 551	88 860
118	ERRAND-SERVICE REVENUE	126 553	124 801	1 752	0
119	MONEY-ORDER CHARGES	36 275 869	36 176 029	99 840	27 315
120	TIME-SERVICE REVENUE	253 763	253 763	0	0
121	MISCELLANEOUS NONTRANSMISSION REVENUE	4 299 531	2 402 384	1 897 147	291 961

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			WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO 2	TOTAL OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS 3	ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS INC 4
122	TOTAL NONTRANSMISSION REVENUE	235 687 630	169 174 988	66 512 642	20 277 030
123	OTHER TELECOMMUNICATION REVENUE				
123	TELEPHONE REVENUE--TELEPHONE SYSTEMS	4 741	0	4 741	0
124	EARTH STATION REVENUE	5 758 883	0	5 758 883	1 898 007
125	RADIOTELEGRAPH REVENUE--RADIOTELEGRAPH SYSTEMS	0	0	0	0
126	TOTAL OTHER TELECOMMUNICATION REVENUE	5 763 624	0	5 763 624	1 898 007
127	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE	659 349 367	431 761 824	227 587 543	74 711 167
	OPERATING EXPENSES				
128	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	64 073 133	49 746 057	14 327 076	4 469 675
129	CONDUCTING OPERATIONS EXPENSES				
129	SALARIES OF OPERATIONS SUPERVISORS	24 082,515	14 690 882	9 391 633	3 122 252
130	WAGES OF OPERATORS	50 045 325	35 781 643	14 263 682	3 394 550
131	WAGES OF OPERATING-OFFICE EMPLOYEES AND STATION ATTENDANTS	31,114,397	20 248 220	10 866 177	2 454 823
132	WAGES OF MESSENGERS	8 780 364	7 437 297	1 343 067	458 742
133	RENTS	103 453 686	61 087 857	42 365 829	11 539 589
134	OTHER CONDUCTING OPERATIONS EXPENSES	68 842 077	51 753 991	17 088 086	5,835 446
135	GENERAL SERVICES LICENSES AND ROYALTIES				
	--DR	4 211 894	2 523 823	1 688 071	1 250 866
136	GENERAL SERVICES LICENSES AND ROYALTIES				
	--CR	3 674 986	827 802	2 847 184	1 128 316
137	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	38,973,155	29 370 804	9 602 351	2 396 357
138	ALL OTHER GENERAL EXPENSES	7,541 975	1 764 034	5 777 941	1 854 954
139	ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	26,358 175	7 475 659	18 882 516	3 375,703
140	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	423 801 710	281 052 465	142 749 245	39 024 641
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
141	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	282	0	282	0
142	OWNED	282	0	282	0
143	LEASED	0	0	0	0
	MILES OF WIRE				
	MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE				
144	IN AERIAL CABLE	74 902	74 901	1	0
145	IN UNDERGROUND CABLE	322 729	322 724	5	0
146	IN SUBMARINE CABLE	3 674	3 674	0	0
147	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	401 305	401 299	6	0
148	MILES OF AERIAL WIRE (NOT IN CABLE)	80,066	80 027	39	0
149	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	481 371	481 326	45	0
150	MILES OF POLE LINE	7,085	7 085	0	0
151	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (SINGLE DUCT)	3,719	3 718	1	0
	NUMBER OF VOICE GRADE CHANNELS IN CABLE SATELLITES AND OH MICROWAVE USED FOR TRANS-OCEANIC COMMUNICATIONS				
	* U S POINT OF ORIGIN *				
152	TO AUSTRIA VIA CABLE	6	.	6	2-11-22
153	TO BELGIUM VIA CABLE	13	.	13	6
154	TO BELGIUM VIA SATELLITE	6	.	6	3
155	TO FRANCE VIA CABLE	19	.	19	10
156	TO FRANCE VIA SATELLITE	5	.	5	2
157	TO GERMANY VIA CABLE	33	.	33	10
158	TO GERMANY VIA SATELLITE	19	.	19	5
159	TO GREECE VIA CABLE	2	.	2	13 24
160	TO GREECE VIA SATELLITE	3	.	3	1
161	TO HUNGARY POLAND ROUMANIA VIA CABLE	1	.	1	12 24
162	TO ICELAND VIA CABLE	1	.	1	-
163	TO IRELAND VIA CABLE	3	.	3	15 22
164	TO ITALY VIA CABLE	15	.	15	4
165	TO ITALY VIA SATELLITE	13	.	13	2-12 24
166	TO NETHERLANDS VIA CABLE	10	.	10	3
167	TO NETHERLANDS VIA SATELLITE	2	.	2	1
168	TO PORTUGAL VIA CABLE	3	.	3	1
169	TO SPAIN VIA CABLE	11	.	11	4
170	TO SPAIN VIA SATELLITE	2	.	2	1
171	TO SPAIN VIA 48 KHZ	12	.	12	12
172	TO DENMARK FINLAND NORWAY AND SWEDEN VIA CABLE	9	.	9	3
173	TO DENMARK FINLAND NORWAY AND SWEDEN VIA SATELLITE	3	.	3	2
174	TO SWITZERLAND VIA CABLE	20	.	20	8

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175	TO SWITZERLAND VIA SATELLITE	6	-	6	-
176	TO U S S R VIA CABLE	2	-	2	8/22
177	TO UNITED KINGDOM VIA CABLE	63	-	63	23
178	TO UNITED KINGDOM VIA SATELLITE	42	-	42	13
179	TO YUGOSLAVIA VIA CABLE	1	-	1	10/22
180	TO ARGENTINA VIA SATELLITE	8	-	8	4
181	TO BAHAMAS VIA OH MICROWAVE	6	-	6	1
182	TO BERMUDA VIA CABLE	8	-	8	2
183	TO BRAZIL VIA SATELLITE	15	-	15	5
184	TO CHILI VIA SATELLITE	5	-	5	4-5/24
185	TO COLUMBIA VIA SATELLITE	5	-	5	1-8/24
186	TO CUBA VIA CABLE	1	-	1	-
187	TO DOMINICAN REPUBLIC VIA CABLE	1-11/22	-	1-11/22	1
188	TO ECUADOR VIA SATELLITE	5	-	5	19/24
189	TO EL SALVADOR VIA LANDLINE FACILITIES	1-12/24	-	1-12/24	12/24
190	TO GUATEMALA VIA LANDLINE FACILITIES	1-12/24	-	1-12/24	12/24
191	TO JAMAICA VIA CABLE	4	-	4	1
192	TO MARTINIQUE VIA SATELLITE	1	-	1	-
193	TO MEXICO VIA LANDLINE FACILITIES	2	-	2	-
194	TO NICARAGUA VIA SATELLITE	1	-	1	9/24
195	TO PANAMA VIA CABLE	16	-	16	9
196	TO PANAMA VIA SATELLITE	11	-	11	7
197	TO PERU VIA SATELLITE	5	-	5	3
198	TO PUERTO RICO VIA CABLE	44-11/22	-	44-11/22	24
199	TO PUERTO RICO VIA SATELLITE	25	-	25	13
200	TO VENEZUELA VIA CABLE	7	-	7	2
201	TO ASCENSION ISLAND VIA SATELLITE	1	-	1	1
202	TO CANARY ISLANDS VIA SATELLITE	4	-	4	-
203	TO EGYPT, UNITED REPUBLIC OF VIA CABLE	1	-	1	10/22
204	TO IRAN VIA SATELLITE	4	-	4	12/24
205	TO ISRAEL VIA CABLE	2	-	2	11/22
206	TO IVORY COAST VIA SATELLITE	18/24	-	18/24	6/24
207	TO JORDAN VIA SATELLITE	1	-	1	8/24
208	TO LEBANON VIA CABLE	3	-	3	1
209	TO MALAGASY VIA SATELLITE	2	-	2	-
210	TO MOROCCO VIA SATELLITE	2	-	2	6/24
211	TO NIGERIA VIA SATELLITE	1	-	1	8/24
212	TO SOUTH AFRICA VIA CABLE	3	-	3	1
213	TO TUNISIA VIA CABLE	1	-	1	6/22
214	TO TURKEY VIA CABLE	1	-	1	4-22
215	TO AUSTRALIA VIA CABLE	4	-	4	2
216	TO AUSTRALIA VIA SATELLITE	16	-	16	8
217	TO CHINA, REPUBLIC OF VIA SATELLITE	2	-	2	-
218	TO GUAM VIA CABLE	5-16/22	-	5-16/22	16/22
219	TO GUAM VIA SATELLITE	4	-	4	1
220	TO HAWAII VIA CABLE	37	-	37	8
221	TO HAWAII VIA SATELLITE	26	-	26	8
222	TO HAWAII VIA 48 KHZ	12	-	12	-
223	TO HONG KONG VIA SATELLITE	4	-	4	2
224	TO INDONESIA VIA CABLE	1	-	1	6/22
225	TO JAPAN VIA CABLE	8	-	8	4
226	TO JAPAN VIA SATELLITE	25	-	25	9
227	TO KOREA VIA SATELLITE	2	-	2	-
228	TO NEW ZEALAND VIA SATELLITE	1	-	1	8/24
229	TO PAKISTAN VIA CABLE	1	-	1	-
230	TO PHILIPPINES VIA CABLE	1-8/22	-	1-8/22	8/22
231	TO PHILIPPINES VIA SATELLITE	9	-	9	2
232	TO TAIWAN VIA SATELLITE	3	-	3	1
233	TO THAILAND VIA SATELLITE	2	-	2	12/24
	* HAWAII POINT OF ORIGIN *				
234	TO ALASKA VIA SATELLITE	1	-	1	-
235	TO AUSTRALIA VIA CABLE	2	-	2	-
236	TO GUAM VIA CABLE	11	-	11	4
237	TO GUAM VIA SATELLITE	2	-	2	-
238	TO GUAM VIA 48 KHZ	12	-	12	-
239	TO HONG KONG VIA SATELLITE	1	-	1	1
240	TO JAPAN VIA CABLE	8	-	8	6
241	TO JAPAN VIA SATELLITE	15	-	15	7
242	TO KOREA VIA SATELLITE	3	-	3	-
243	TO PHILIPPINES VIA CABLE	6	-	6	4
244	TO PHILIPPINES VIA SATELLITE	16	-	16	2
245	TO THAILAND VIA CABLE	1	-	1	-
246	TO THAILAND VIA SATELLITE	8	-	8	1
	* GUAM POINT OF ORIGIN *				
247	TO AUSTRALIA VIA CABLE	1	-	1	-
248	TO AUSTRALIA VIA SATELLITE	1	-	1	-
249	TO JAPAN VIA CABLE	11	-	11	2
250	TO JAPAN VIA SATELLITE	2	-	2	1
251	TO PHILIPPINES VIA CABLE	18	-	18	6
252	TO SAIPAN TRUST TER VIA OH MICROWAVE	1	-	1	-
253	TO THAILAND	3	-	3	-
	* PUERTO RICO POINT OF ORIGIN *				
254	TO BARBADOS VIA MICROWAVE	1	-	1	1
255	TO DOMINICAN REPUBLIC VIA CABLE	1-11/12	-	1-11/12	1
256	TO VIRGIN ISLANDS VIA OH MICROWAVE	5	-	5	5
257	TO VENEZUELA VIA CABLE	2	-	2	12/24
	* VIRGIN ISLANDS POINT OF ORIGIN *				
258	TO ST. KITTS VIA MICROWAVE	1	-	1	1
259	TO ST. MAARTEN VIA MICROWAVE	1	-	1	1

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			WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO 2	TOTAL OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS 3	ITF WORLD COMMUNICATIONS INC 4
	SERVICE EQUIPMENT FURNISHED FREE TO CUSTOMERS				
260	TELEGRAPH PRINTERS	5 226	0	5 226	1 325
261	TELEGRAPH PRINTER TIE LINES	12 978	0	12 978	4 570
262	MORSE TIE LINES	0	0	0	0
263	DESK FAX	382	0	382	75
264	DESK FAX TIE LINES	315	0	315	75
265	TELEPHONES	212	0	212	122
266	TELEPHONE TIE LINES	214	0	214	122
267	PNEUMATIC TUBES	0	0	0	0
268	CALL BOXES AND CIRCUITS	910	0	910	910
269	AUTOMATIC TRANSMITTING APPARATUS	0	0	0	0
270	OTHER	0	0	0	0
	FIXED RADIOTELEGRAPH CIRCUITS (NUMBER OF CIRCUITS AVAILABLE FOR OPERATION AT END OF YEAR)				
	TYPE OF TRANSMISSION				
271	CONTINENTAL FIXED	1	0	1	0
272	INSULAR FIXED	0	0	0	0
273	FOREIGN FIXED (FOREIGN SERVICE CLASSIFICATION)	32	0	32	3
274	FOREIGN FIXED (DOMESTIC SERVICE CLASSIFICATION)	0	0	0	0
275	TOTAL	33	0	33	8
	TELEGRAPH OFFICES UNITED STATES 12				
276	INDEPENDENT	500	456	44	14
277	MAIN	252	235	17	4
278	BRANCH	248	221	27	10
279	JOINT	206	206	0	0
280	AGENCY OR COMMISSION OFFICES	6 083	6 083	0	0
	FOREIGN				
281	INDEPENDENT	63	0	63	8
282	MAIN	36	0	36	6
283	BRANCH	27	0	27	2
284	JOINT	2	0	2	0
285	AGENCY OR COMMISSION OFFICES	0	0	0	0
286	TOTAL TELEGRAPH OFFICES	6 854	6 745	109	22
	TELEGRAPH REVENUE MESSAGES HANDLED NUMBER OF MESSAGES				
287	DOMESTIC MESSAGES 13	30 551 469	14	30 472 947	78 522
288	TRANSOCEANIC MESSAGES 15	23 798 451	0	23 798 451	7 840 882
289	MARINE MESSAGES	1 222 273	0	1 222 273	476 284
290	TOTAL	55 572 193	30 472 947	25 099 246	8 318 811
291	DOMESTIC TRANSMISSION OF TRANSOCEANIC AND MARINE MESSAGES	13 352 064	16	9 353 082	3 998 982
	NUMBER OF WORDS				
292	TRANSOCEANIC MESSAGES 15	713 461 375	0	713 461 375	235 789 577
293	MARINE MESSAGES	23 447 305	0	23 447 305	8 918 733
	AMOUNT OF REVENUE				
294	DOMESTIC MESSAGES 13	\$89 746 843	14	\$89 577 545	\$169 298
295	TRANSOCEANIC MESSAGES 15	44 871 988	0	44 871 988	12 434 551
296	MARINE MESSAGES	4 001 510	0	4 001 510	1 327 064
297	DOMESTIC TRANSMISSION OF TRANSOCEANIC AND MARINE MESSAGES	18 330 831	16	13 496 506	4 834 325
298	TOTAL	156 951 171	103 074 051	53 877 120	15 743 540
	EMPLOYEES AND COMPENSATION				
299	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF OCTOBER	23 813	17 266	6 547	1 465
300	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	271 350 729	194 004 753	77 345 976	18 854 482
301	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	211 895 905	140 752 801	71 143 104	17 210 550

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NO	ITEM	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS--CONTINUED			
		RCA GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS INC 5	TRT TELECOMMUN- ICATIONS CORP 6	UNITED STATES- LIBERIA RADIO CORP 7	WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL INC 8
CONDENSED BALANCE SHEET--ASSET SIDE					
1	COMMUNICATION PLANT				
1	PLANT IN SERVICE	\$194,365,585	\$10,752,224	\$152,682	\$55,676,365
2	PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	8,566,687	314,160	0	3,740,289
3	PLANT HELD FOR FUTURE COMMUNICATION USE	191,387	0	0	189,095
4	PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENTS	0	0	0	-2,275,993
5	SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	8,426,943	0	0	2,698,505
6	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	211,550,602	11,066,384	152,682	60,028,261
7	LESS ALLOWANCE FOR DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION	68,624,344	5,189,340	150,237	10,790,777
8	EARTH STATION DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION RESERVES	2,750,485	0	0	871,307
9	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--NET	140,175,773	5,877,044	2,445	48,366,177
10	INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS				
10	MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	1,055,661	0	0	50,850
11	LESS ALLOWANCE FOR DEPRECIATION	835,773	0	0	0
12	MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY--NET	219,888	0	0	50,850
13	INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATES	50,797,821	115,000	0	26,910,462
14	OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	744,758	0	0	2,109,633
15	LESS ALLOWANCE FOR DOUBTFUL INVESTMENTS	728,522	0	0	1,200,389
16	TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	51,033,945	115,000	0	27,870,556
17	CURRENT ASSETS				
17	CASH	5,366,977	366,701	1,645	1,911,911
18	TEMPORARY INVESTMENTS	0	0	0	6,332,036
19	RECEIVABLES FROM AFFILIATES	67,851	0	137,548	1,502,793
20	OTHER RECEIVABLES	26,138,994	2,944,546	9,236	12,864,305
21	LESS ALLOWANCE FOR UNCOLLECTIBLE RECEIVABLES	418,096	310,537	0	598,295
22	MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	4,449,133	260,958	0	1,967,939
23	ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	98,157	3,830	0	253,860
24	TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	35,703,016	3,265,498	148,429	24,234,549
25	PREPAYMENTS	643,041	19,021	0	212,510
26	DEFERRED CHARGES	4,691,088	157,731	0	8,571,645
27	TOTAL--ASSET SIDE	232,246,863	9,434,294	150,874	109,255,437
CONDENSED BALANCED SHEET--LIABILITY SIDE					
28	LONG TERM DEBT	57,000,000	2,740,356	0	20,287,401
29	CURRENT LIABILITIES				
29	PAYABLES TO AFFILIATES	7,907,581	0	0	4,719,987
30	OTHER PAYABLES	15,818,377	1,332,190	2,138	13,003,367
31	TAX ACCRUALS	3,128,185	53,322	1,990	8,284,140
32	OTHER ACCRUALS	2,688,519	550,036	2,519	958,188
33	ALL OTHER CURRENT LIABILITIES	1,838,255	75,601	0	29,047
34	TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	31,380,917	2,011,149	6,647	26,994,729
35	PROVISIONS FOR FUTURE SETTLEMENTS				
35	PROVISIONS FOR EMPLOYEES' PENSIONS AND WELFARE	0	258,220	0	34,207
36	OTHER PROVISIONS FOR FUTURE SETTLEMENTS	352,494	0	0	0
37	TOTAL PROVISIONS FOR FUTURE SETTLEMENTS	352,494	258,220	0	34,207
38	DEFERRED CREDITS				
38	LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION INCOME TAX DIFFERENTIALS	3	0	0	4
39	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	0	0	0	0
40	OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	119,704	1,484	0	5,546,749

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NO	ITEM	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS -CONTINUED			
		RCA GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS INC 5	TRT TELECOMMUN ICATIONS CORP 6	UNITED STATES LIBERIA RADIO CORP 7	WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL INC 8
41	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	119 704	1 484	0	5 546 749
42	COMMON STOCK	5 000 000	1 000 000	5 000	1 000
43	PREFERRED STOCK	0	0	0	0
44	CAPITAL SURPLUS	73 950 000	0	0	29 083 104
	EARNED SURPLUS				
45	RESERVATIONS OF EARNED SURPLUS	0	0	0	0
46	UNAPPROPRIATED EARNED SURPLUS	64 443 748	3 423 085	139 227	27 308 247
47	TOTAL EARNED SURPLUS	64 443 748	3 423 085	139 227	27 308 247
48	TOTAL LIABILITY SIDE	232 246 863	9 434 294	150 874	109 255 437
	INCOME AND EARNED SURPLUS STATEMENT				
49	OPERATING REVENUES	98 550 769	7 687 105	87 185	45 061 192
	OPERATING REVENUE DEDUCTIONS				
50	OPERATING EXPENSES	63 120 070	6 763 490	76 263	32 266 914
51	DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION	10 963 325	567 305	5 449	2 980 169
52	AMORTIZATION OF PLANT ACQUISITION	0	0	0	110 701
	ADJUSTMENTS				
53	SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	1 196 718	197 360	1 210	512 221
54	OTHER OPERATING TAXES (EXCLUDING FEDERAL INCOME TAXES)	3 377 608	276 683	447	831 621
55	UNCOLLECTIBLE REVENUES	387 000	97 676	0	475 823
56	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	1 545 449	0	0	525 906
57	ALL OTHER OPERATING REVENUE DEDUCTIONS	248 108	0	0	0
58	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE DEDUCTIONS	80 838 278	7 902 514	83 369	37 481 953
59	NET OPERATING REVENUES	17 712 491	- 215 409	3 816	7 579 239
60	OTHER COMMUNICATIONS INCOME	19 393	0	0	0
61	OPERATING INCOME	17 731 884	- 215 409	3 816	7 579 239
62	INCOME FROM MERCHANDISING, JOBBERING AND CONTRACTING	- 3 858	0	0	0
63	OTHER ORDINARY INCOME -NONCOMMUNICATION	1 159 148	206 746	0	540 444
64	TOTAL ORDINARY INCOME NONCOMMUNICATION	1 155 290	206 746	0	540 444
65	GROSS ORDINARY INCOME	18 887 174	8 663	3 816	8 119 683
66	INTEREST EXPENSE	3 273 154	0	0	1 481 370
67	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION OR	894 758	0	0	0
68	OTHER DEDUCTIONS FROM ORDINARY INCOME	109 923	604 447	0	121 417
69	TOTAL DEDUCTIONS FROM ORDINARY INCOME	2 488 319	604 447	0	1 602 787
70	NET ORDINARY INCOME	16 398 855	- 613 110	3 816	6 516 896
71	EXTRAORDINARY INCOME CREDITS	847 354	1 791 551	0	381 927
72	EXTRAORDINARY INCOME -CHARGES	17 756	0	0	73 632
73	NET INCOME	17 228 453	1 178 441	3 816	6 825 191
	DEDUCTIONS FROM NET INCOME				
74	INVESTMENT CREDITS -NET	7	8	9	10
75	PROVISION FOR FEDERAL INCOME TAXES	3 201 000	101 367	924	2 322 000
76	INCOME TAX DIFFERENTIALS FROM	3	0	0	4
77	LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION	0	0	0	0
78	OTHER DEDUCTIONS FROM NET INCOME	3 201 000	101 367	924	2 322 000

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		RCA GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC 5	TRT TELECOMMUN- ICATIONS CORP 6	UNITED STATES- LIBERIA RADIO CORP 7	WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL, INC 8
79	NET INCOME TRANSFERRED TO EARNED SURPLUS	14,027,453	1,077,074	2,892	4,503,191
80	UNAPPROPRIATED EARNED SURPLUS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	55,816,295	2,346,013	136,335	23,111,831
81	EARNED SURPLUS--CREDITS	0	0	0	0
82	EARNED SURPLUS--CHARGES	0	0	0	0
83	EARNED SURPLUS AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION	69,843,748	3,423,085	139,227	27,615,022
84	MISCELLANEOUS APPROPRIATIONS OF EARNED SURPLUS	0	0	0	0
85	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS OF EARNED SURPLUS	5,400,000	0	0	306,775
86	UNAPPROPRIATED EARNED SURPLUS AT END OF YEAR	64,443,748	3,423,085	139,227	27,308,247
	DIVIDENDS				
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED				
87	COMMON STOCK	5,400,000	0	0	306,775
88	AMOUNT PER \$100 BOOK VALUE	3.76	00	00	54
89	PREFERRED STOCK	0	0	0	0
90	RATE PER \$100 PAR VALUE	00	00	00	00
	OPERATING REVENUES				
	TRANSMISSION REVENUE				
	MESSAGE REVENUE				
91	PUBLIC MESSAGE REVENUE	19,330,548	2,111,402	84,057	10,440,759
92	GOVERNMENT MESSAGE REVENUE	527,422	71,686	8	123,754
93	PRESS MESSAGE REVENUE	74,182	1,791	0	104,950
94	OTHER COMMUTED-RATE REVENUE	-104	10,630	0	1,487
95	MONEY-ORDER MESSAGE REVENUE	0	0	0	0
96	CONTRACT (CAK) MESSAGE REVENUE	0	0	0	0
97	NEWS (CNO) SERVICE MESSAGE REVENUE	0	0	0	0
98	SHIP STATION REVENUE	20,811	5,851	0	0
99	DOMESTIC TRANSMISSION OF TRANSDCEANIC AND MARINE MESSAGES	2,787,632	77,074	0	0
100	OTHER MESSAGE REVENUE 11/	852,556	1,092,971	0	0
101	TOTAL MESSAGE REVENUE	23,593,047	3,371,405	84,065	10,670,950
	OTHER TRANSMISSION REVENUE				
102	TELEPRINTER EXCHANGE SERVICE REVENUE	32,923,527	0	0	18,823,102
103	TWX SERVICE	0	0	0	0
104	OTHER SCHEDULED TRANSMISSION SERVICE REVENUE	493,124	1,246,419	0	477,942
105	BROADCAST-PROGRAM SERVICE REVENUE	879,659	0	0	1,098,333
	NEWS (CND) SERVICE REVENUE				
106	TICKER SERVICE REVENUE	0	0	0	0
107	BULLETIN SERVICE REVENUE	37,992	0	0	0
108	FACSIMILE OR PHOTOGRAFIC SERVICE REVENUE	140,265	0	0	61,449
109	TELEPHONE SERVICE REVENUE	5,448,422	2,376,628	0	0
110	MISCELLANEOUS TRANSMISSION SERVICE REVENUE	67,590	0	0	0
111	TOTAL OTHER TRANSMISSION REVENUE	39,990,579	3,623,047	0	20,460,826
112	TOTAL TRANSMISSION REVENUE	63,583,626	6,994,452	84,065	31,131,776
	NONTRANSMISSION REVENUE				
113	REVENUE FROM FURNISHING AND SERVICING STATIONS	76,570	0	0	0
114	LEASED-CIRCUIT REVENUE	27,494,500	582,628	0	11,653,062
115	MEASURED-SERVICE REVENUE	0	0	0	0
116	OTHER LEASED PLANT REVENUE	3,152,588	75,521	0	914,467
117	CODE-REGISTRATION REVENUE	104,324	0	0	56,367
118	ERRAND-SERVICE REVENUE	1,752	0	0	0
119	MONEY-ORDER CHARGES	71,590	0	0	0
120	TIME-SERVICE REVENUE	0	0	0	0
121	MISCELLANEOUS NONTRANSMISSION REVENUE	1,242,987	34,504	0	265,853

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		RCA GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS INC 5	TRT TELECOMMUN ICATIONS CORP 6	UNITED STATES- LIBERIA RADIO CORP 7	WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL INC 8
122	TOTAL NONTRANSMISSION REVENUE	32 144 311	692 653	0	12 889 749
123	OTHER TELECOMMUNICATION REVENUE				
124	TELEPHONE REVENUE--TELEPHONE SYSTEMS	1 621	0	3 120	0
125	EARTH STATION REVENUE	2 821 209	0	0	1 039 667
126	RADIOTELEGRAPH REVENUE RADIOTELEGRAPH SYSTEMS	0	0	0	0
127	TOTAL OTHER TELECOMMUNICATION REVENUE	2 822 830	0	3 120	1 039 667
128	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE	98 550 767	7 687 105	87 185	45 061 192
	OPERATING EXPENSES				
129	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	5 037 007	425 524	11 094	4 156 074
130	CONDUCTING OPERATIONS EXPENSES				
131	SALARIES OF OPERATIONS SUPERVISORS	4 854 807	306 314	0	1 052 352
132	WAGES OF OPERATORS	5 958 585	1 236 592	40 498	3 456 783
133	WAGES OF OPERATING OFFICE EMPLOYEES AND STATION ATTENDANTS	6 765 838	947 570	0	584 266
134	WAGES OF MESSENGERS	657 828	113 275	435	66 043
135	RENTS	19 094 721	773 930	2 534	10 654 778
136	OTHER CONDUCTING OPERATIONS EXPENSES	7 073 383	1 170 071	14 674	2 803 965
137	GENERAL SERVICES LICENSES AND ROYALTIES --OR	378 000	0	2 408	48 472
138	GENERAL SERVICES LICENSES AND ROYALTIES --CR	1 612 115	0	0	106 753
139	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	4 726 204	153 644	4 466	2 175 406
140	ALL OTHER GENERAL EXPENSES	2 807 161	81 807	154	1 001 850
141	ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	7 378 651	1 554 763	0	6 373 678
142	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	63 120 070	6 763 490	76 263	32 266 914
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS				
143	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	0	0	282
144	OWNED	0	0	0	282
145	LEASED	0	0	0	0
146	MILES OF WIRE				
147	MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE				
148	IN AERIAL CABLE	0	0	0	1
149	IN UNDERGROUND CABLE	0	0	0	5
150	IN SUBMARINE CABLE	0	0	0	0
151	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	0	0	0	6
152	MILES OF AERIAL WIRE (NOT IN CABLE)	0	0	0	39
153	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	0	0	0	45
154	MILES OF POLE LINE	0	0	0	0
155	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (SINGLE DUCT)	0	0	0	1
156	NUMBER OF VOICE GMAE CHANNELS IN CABLE, SATELLITES AND OH MICROWAVE USED FOR TRANS-OCEANIC COMMUNICATIONS				
157	* U.S. POINT OF ORIGIN *				
158	TO AUSTRIA VIA CABLE	1 11 22			2
159	TO BELGIUM VIA CABLE	4			3
160	TO BELGIUM VIA SATELLITE	2			1
161	TO FRANCE VIA CABLE	4			5
162	TO FRANCE VIA SATELLITE	3			-
163	TO GERMANY VIA CABLE	16			7
164	TO GERMANY VIA SATELLITE	9			5
165	TO GREECE VIA CABLE	1			11 24
166	TO GREECE VIA SATELLITE	2			-
167	TO HUNGARY POLAND ROMANIA VIA CABLE	12 24			
168	TO ICELAND VIA CABLE	-			1
169	TO IRELAND VIA CABLE	14 22			1 15 22
170	TO ITALY VIA CABLE	6			5
171	TO ITALY VIA SATELLITE	3	1		6 12 24
172	TO NETHERLANDS VIA CABLE	4			3
173	TO NETHERLANDS VIA SATELLITE	1			-
174	TO PORTUGAL VIA CABLE	1			1
175	TO SPAIN VIA CABLE	4			3
176	TO SPAIN VIA SATELLITE	1			-
177	TO SWITZERLAND VIA CABLE	3			3
178	TO SWITZERLAND VIA SATELLITE	1			-
179	TO SWITZERLAND VIA CABLE	8			4

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		RCA GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC 5	TRT TELECOMMUN- ICATIONS CORP 6	UNITED STATES- LIBERIA RADIO CORP 7	WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL INC 8
175	TO SWITZERLAND VIA SATELLITE	5	-	-	1
176	TO U S S R VIA CABLE	1-7/22	-	-	7 22
177	TO UNITED KINGDOM VIA CABLE	25	-	-	15
178	TO UNITED KINGDOM VIA SATELLITE	16	-	-	13
179	TO YUGOSLAVIA VIA CABLE	12 22	-	-	-
180	TO ARGENTINA VIA SATELLITE	2	-	-	2
181	TO BAHAMAS VIA OH MICROWAVE	-	5	-	-
182	TO BERMUDA VIA CABLE	3	-	-	3
183	TO BRAZIL VIA SATELLITE	7	1	-	2
184	TO CHILI VIA SATELLITE	7/24	-	-	12/24
185	TO COLUMBIA VIA SATELLITE	1-8/24	1	-	1-8 24
186	TO CUBA VIA CABLE	-	-	-	1
187	TO DOMINICAN REPUBLIC VIA CABLE	11 22	-	-	-
188	TO ECUADOR VIA SATELLITE	3-15/24	-	-	14/24
189	TO EL SALVADOR VIA LANDLINE FACILITIES	12/24	-	-	12/24
190	TO GUATEMALA VIA LANDLINE FACILITIES	12/24	-	-	12/24
191	TO JAMAICA VIA CABLE	1-11 22	11 22	-	1
192	TO MARTINIQUE VIA SATELLITE	1	-	-	-
193	TO MEXICO VIA LANDLINE FACILITIES	1	1	-	-
194	TO NICARAGUA VIA SATELLITE	5/24	5/24	-	5/24
195	TO PANAMA VIA CABLE	4	1	-	2
196	TO PANAMA VIA SATELLITE	1	1	-	5
197	TO PERU VIA SATELLITE	1	-	-	1
198	TO PUERTO RICO VIA CABLE	11-11/22	-	-	9
199	TO PUERTO RICO VIA SATELLITE	10	-	-	2
200	TO VENEZUELA VIA CABLE	3	-	-	2
201	TO ASCENSION ISLAND VIA SATELLITE	-	-	-	-
202	TO CANARY ISLANDS VIA SATELLITE	-	-	-	4
203	TO EGYPT, UNITED REPUBLIC OF VIA CABLE	6 22	-	-	6/22
204	TO IRAN VIA SATELLITE	2	-	-	1-12/24
205	TD ISRAEL VIA CABLE	11 12	-	-	1
206	TO IVORY COAST VIA SATELLITE	6 24	-	-	6 24
207	TO JORDAN VIA SATELLITE	8 24	-	-	8 24
208	TO LEBANON VIA CABLE	1	-	-	1
209	TO MALAGASY VIA SATELLITE	-	-	-	2
210	TO MOROCCO VIA SATELLITE	12 24	-	-	1-6 24
211	TD NIGERIA VIA SATELLITE	8 24	-	-	8 24
212	TO SOUTH AFRICA VIA CABLE	1	-	-	1
213	TO TUNISA VIA CABLE	9/22	-	-	7/22
214	TO TURKEY VIA CABLE	18 22	-	-	-
215	TO AUSTRALIA VIA CABLE	-	-	-	2
216	TO AUSTRALIA VIA SATELLITE	3	-	-	5
217	TO CHINA, REPUBLIC OF VIA SATELLITE	2	-	-	-
218	TO GUAM VIA CABLE	4	-	-	1
219	TD GUAM VIA SATELLITE	2	-	-	1
220	TO HAWAII VIA CABLE	16	-	-	13
221	TO HAWAII VIA SATELLITE	5	-	-	13
222	TO HAWAII VIA 48 KHZ	12	-	-	-
223	TO HONG KONG VIA SATELLITE	1	-	-	1
224	TO INDONESIA VIA CABLE	12 22	-	-	4 22
225	TO JAPAN VIA CABLE	4	-	-	-
226	TO JAPAN VIA SATELLITE	16	-	-	-
227	TO KOREA VIA SATELLITE	1	-	-	1
228	TO NEW ZEALAND VIA SATELLITE	8 24	-	-	8/24
229	TO PAKISTAN VIA CABLE	1	-	-	-
230	TO PHILIPPINES VIA CABLE	-	-	-	1
231	TO PHILIPPINES VIA SATELLITE	2	-	-	5
232	TO TAIWAN VIA SATELLITE	1	-	-	1
233	TO THAILAND VIA SATELLITE	1	-	-	12/24
	" HAWAII POINT OF ORIGIN "	-	-	-	-
234	TO ALASKA VIA SATELLITE	-	-	-	1
235	TO AUSTRALIA VIA CABLE	2	-	-	-
236	TO GUAM VIA CABLE	3	-	-	4
237	TO GUAM VIA SATELLITE	-	-	-	2
238	TO GUAM VIA 48 KHZ	12	-	-	-
239	TD HONG KONG VIA SATELLITE	-	-	-	-
240	TO JAPAN VIA CABLE	2	-	-	-
241	TO JAPAN VIA SATELLITE	8	-	-	-
242	TO KOREA VIA SATELLITE	3	-	-	-
243	TO PHILIPPINES VIA CABLE	1	-	-	1
244	TO PHILIPPINES VIA SATELLITE	2	-	-	12
245	TO THAILAND VIA CABLE	1	-	-	-
246	TO THAILAND VIA SATELLITE	7	-	-	-
	" GUAM POINT OF ORIGIN "	-	-	-	-
247	TO AUSTRALIA VIA CABLE	-	-	-	1
248	TO AUSTRALIA VIA SATELLITE	-	-	-	1
249	TO JAPAN VIA CABLE	9	-	-	-
250	TO JAPAN VIA SATELLITE	1	-	-	-
251	TO PHILIPPINES VIA CABLE	12	-	-	-
252	TO SAIPAN TRUST TER VIA OH MICROWAVE	1	-	-	-
253	TO THAILAND	1	-	-	2
	" PUERTO RICO POINT OF ORIGIN "	-	-	-	-
254	TO BARBADOS VIA MICROWAVE	-	-	-	-
255	TO DOMINICAN REPUBLIC VIA CABLE	11 12	-	-	-
256	TO VIRGIN ISLANDS VIA DH MICROWAVE	-	-	-	-
257	TO VENEZUELA VIA CABLE	1-12 24	-	-	-
	" VIRGIN ISLANDS POINT OF ORIGIN "	-	-	-	-
258	TO ST. KITTS VIA MICROWAVE	-	-	-	-
259	TO ST. MAARTEN VIA MICROWAVE	-	-	-	-

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		RCA GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS INC 5	TRT TELECOMMUN ICATIONS CORP 6	UNITED STATES- LIBERIA RADIO CORP 7	WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL INC 8
SERVICE EQUIPMENT FURNISHED FREE TO CUSTOMERS					
260	TELEGRAPH PRINTERS	971	0	0	2 899
261	TELEGRAPH PRINTER TIE LINES	5 117	1	0	2 899
262	MORSE TIE LINES	0	0	0	0
263	DESK FAX	240	0	0	67
264	DESK FAX TIE LINES	240	0	0	0
265	TELEPHONES	29	0	0	61
266	TELEPHONE TIE LINES	31	0	0	61
267	PNEUMATIC TUBES	0	0	0	0
268	CALL BOXES AND CIRCUITS	0	0	0	0
269	AUTOMATIC TRANSMITTING APPARATUS	0	0	0	0
270	OTHER	0	0	0	0
FIXED RADIOTELEGRAPH CIRCUITS (NUMBER OF CIRCUITS AVAILABLE FOR OPERATION AT END OF YEAR)					
TYPE OF TRANSMISSION					
271	CONTINENTAL FIXED	0	0	1	0
272	INSULAR FIXED	0	0	0	0
273	FOREIGN FIXED (FOREIGN SERVICE CLASSIFICATION)	20	3	1	0
274	FOREIGN FIXED (DOMESTIC SERVICE CLASSIFICATION)	0	0	0	0
275	TOTAL	20	3	2	0
TELEGRAPH OFFICES					
UNITED STATES 12					
276	INDEPENDENT	18	4	1	7
277	MAIN	4	2	1	6
278	BRANCH	14	2	0	1
279	JOINT	0	0	0	0
280	AGENCY OR COMMISSION OFFICES	0	0	0	0
FOREIGN					
281	INDEPENDENT	14	13	3	21
282	MAIN	5	4	3	15
283	BRANCH	9	9	0	6
284	JOINT	0	0	0	2
285	AGENCY OR COMMISSION OFFICES	0	0	0	0
286	TOTAL TELEGRAPH OFFICES	32	17	4	30
TELEGRAPH REVENUE MESSAGES HANDLED					
NUMBER OF MESSAGES					
287	DOMESTIC MESSAGES 13	63 817	13 060	0	0
288	TRANSOCEANIC MESSAGES 15	8 898 799	1 179 472	12 139	5 649 263
289	MARINE MESSAGES	622 659	123 330	0	0
290	TOTAL	9 585 275	1 315 862	12 139	5 649 263
291	DOMESTIC TRANSMISSION OF TRANSOCEANIC AND MARINE MESSAGES	2 504 723	129 540	0	0
NUMBER OF WORDS					
292	TRANSOCEANIC MESSAGES 15	270 061 772	31 212 037	421 430	169 262 147
293	MARINE MESSAGES	12 531 036	1 997 536	0	0
AMOUNT OF REVENUE					
294	DOMESTIC MESSAGES 13	\$135 033	\$21 958	\$0	\$0
295	TRANSOCEANIC MESSAGES 15	18 451 910	2 816 400	84 065	10 670 950
296	MARINE MESSAGES	2 218 472	455 974	0	0
297	DOMESTIC TRANSMISSION OF TRANSOCEANIC AND MARINE MESSAGES	2 787 632	77 075	0	0
298	TOTAL	23 593 047	3 371 407	84 065	10 670 950
EMPLOYEES AND COMPENSATION					
299	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF OCTOBER	3 100	673	8	1 214
300	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	34 697 795	3 963 907	4 049 803	14 940 229
301	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	31 197 768	3 963 907	4 049 803	13 881 316

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TABLE 34 --STATISTICS OF DOMESTIC AND OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS REPORTING ANNUALLY TO THE COMMISSION
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NO	ITEM	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS--CONTINUED	
		CABLE & WIRELESS/ WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL, INC 9	
	CONDENSED BALANCE SHEET--ASSET SIDE		
	COMMUNICATION PLANT		
1	PLANT IN SERVICE	\$2,249,834	
2	PLANT UNDER CONSTRUCTION	56,164	
3	PLANT HELD FOR FUTURE COMMUNICATION USE	0	
4	PLANT ACQUISITION ADJUSTMENTS	0	
5	SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS	0	
6	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--GROSS	2,305,998	
7	LESS ALLOWANCE FOR DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION	577,724	
8	EARTH STATION DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION RESERVES	0	
9	TOTAL COMMUNICATION PLANT--NET	1,728,274	
	INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS		
10	MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	2	
11	LESS ALLOWANCE FOR DEPRECIATION	0	
12	MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY--NET	2	
13	INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATES	0	
14	OTHER INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	0	
15	LESS ALLOWANCE FOR DOUBTFUL INVESTMENTS	0	
16	TOTAL INVESTMENTS AND FUNDS	2	
	CURRENT ASSETS		
17	CASH	34,368	
18	TEMPORARY INVESTMENTS	0	
19	RECEIVABLES FROM AFFILIATES	15,772	
20	OTHER RECEIVABLES	859,021	
21	LESS ALLOWANCE FOR UNCOLLECTIBLE RECEIVABLES	78,635	
22	MATERIAL AND SUPPLIES	25,582	
23	ALL OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	167,461	
24	TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	1,023,569	
25	PREPAYMENTS	433	
26	DEFERRED CHARGES	18,240	
27	TOTAL--ASSET SIDE	2,770,518	
	CONDENSED BALANCED SHEET--LIABILITY SIDE		
28	LONG TERM DEBT	69,252	
	CURRENT LIABILITIES		
29	PAYABLES TO AFFILIATES	2,029,405	
30	OTHER PAYABLES	214,742	
31	TAX ACCRUALS	89,822	
32	OTHER ACCRUALS	0	
33	ALL OTHER CURRENT LIABILITIES	0	
34	TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	2,333,969	
	PROVISIONS FOR FUTURE SETTLEMENTS		
35	PROVISIONS FOR EMPLOYEES' PENSIONS AND WELFARE	155,241	
36	OTHER PROVISIONS FOR FUTURE SETTLEMENTS	0	
37	TOTAL PROVISIONS FOR FUTURE SETTLEMENTS	155,241	
	DEFERRED CREDITS		
38	LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION INCOME TAX DIFFERENTIALS	0	
39	UNAMORTIZED INVESTMENT CREDITS	0	
40	OTHER DEFERRED CREDITS	0	

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TABLE 34 STATISTICS OF DOMESTIC AND OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS REPORTING ANNUALLY TO THE COMMISSION AS OF DECEMBER 31 1972 AND FOR YEAR THEN ENDED --CONTINUED

NO	ITEM	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS--CONTINUED	
		CABLE & WIRELESS WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL INC 9	
41	TOTAL DEFERRED CREDITS	0	
42	COMMON STOCK	200	
43	PREFERRED STOCK	0	
44	CAPITAL SURPLUS	1 121 569	
45	EARNED SURPLUS	0	
46	RESERVATIONS OF EARNED SURPLUS	- 909 713	
47	TOTAL EARNED SURPLUS	- 909 713	
48	TOTAL LIABILITY SIDE	2 770 518	
	INCOME AND EARNED SURPLUS STATEMENT		
49	OPERATING REVENUES	1 490 127	
50	OPERATING REVENUE DEDUCTIONS		
51	OPERATING EXPENSES	1 497 867	
52	DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION	110 237	
53	AMORTIZATION OF PLANT ACQUISITION	0	
54	ADJUSTMENTS	0	
55	SOCIAL SECURITY TAXES	38 584	
56	OTHER OPERATING TAXES (EXCLUDING FEDERAL INCOME TAXES)	66 286	
57	UNCOLLECTIBLE REVENUES	77 046	
58	EARTH STATION EXPENSES	0	
59	ALL OTHER OPERATING REVENUE DEDUCTIONS	1 007	
60	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE DEDUCTIONS	1 791 027	
61	NET OPERATING REVENUES	- 300 900	
62	OTHER COMMUNICATIONS INCOME	0	
63	OPERATING INCOME	- 300 900	
64	INCOME FROM MERCHANDISING JOBBING AND CONTRACTING	0	
65	OTHER ORDINARY INCOME--NONCOMMUNICATION	0	
66	TOTAL ORDINARY INCOME--NONCOMMUNICATION	0	
67	GROSS ORDINARY INCOME	- 300 900	
68	INTEREST EXPENSE	0	
69	INTEREST CHARGED TO CONSTRUCTION--CR	0	
70	OTHER DEDUCTIONS FROM ORDINARY INCOME	0	
71	TOTAL DEDUCTIONS FROM ORDINARY INCOME	0	
72	NET ORDINARY INCOME	- 300 900	
73	EXTRAORDINARY INCOME--CREDITS	0	
74	EXTRAORDINARY INCOME--CHARGES	0	
75	NET INCOME	- 300 900	
76	DEDUCTIONS FROM NET INCOME		
77	INVESTMENT CREDITS--NET	0	
78	PROVISION FOR FEDERAL INCOME TAXES	0	
79	INCOME TAX DIFFERENTIALS FROM LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION	0	
80	OTHER DEDUCTIONS FROM NET INCOME	0	
81	TOTAL DEDUCTIONS FROM NET INCOME	0	

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NO	ITEM	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS--CONTINUED	
		CABLE & WIRELESS/ WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL, INC 9	
79	NET INCOME TRANSFERRED TO EARNED SURPLUS	- 300,900	
80	UNAPPROPRIATED EARNED SURPLUS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	- 608,813	
81	EARNED SURPLUS--CREDITS	0	
82	EARNED SURPLUS--CHARGES	0	
83	EARNED SURPLUS AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION	- 909,713	
84	MISCELLANEOUS APPROPRIATIONS OF EARNED SURPLUS	0	
85	DIVIDEND APPROPRIATIONS OF EARNED SURPLUS	0	
86	UNAPPROPRIATED EARNED SURPLUS AT END OF YEAR	- 909,713	
	DIVIDENDS		
	DIVIDENDS DECLARED		
87	COMMON STOCK	0	
88	AMOUNT PER \$100 BOOK VALUE	00	
89	PREFERRED STOCK	0	
90	RATE PER \$100 PAR VALUE	00	
	OPERATING REVENUES		
	TRANSMISSION REVENUE		
	MESSAGE REVENUE		
91	PUBLIC MESSAGE REVENUE	414,112	
92	GOVERNMENT MESSAGE REVENUE	0	
93	PRESS MESSAGE REVENUE	0	
94	OTHER COMMUTED-RATE REVENUE	0	
95	MONEY-ORDER MESSAGE REVENUE	0	
96	CONTRACT (CAK) MESSAGE REVENUE	0	
97	NEWS (CND) SERVICE MESSAGE REVENUE	0	
98	SHIP STATION REVENUE	0	
99	DOMESTIC TRANSMISSION OF TANSOCEANIC AND MARINE MESSAGES	0	
100	OTHER MESSAGE REVENUE 11/	0	
101	TOTAL MESSAGE REVENUE	414,112	
	OTHER TRANSMISSION REVENUE		
102	TELEPRINTER EXCHANGE SERVICE REVENUE	491,487	
103	TWX SERVICE	0	
104	OTHER SCHEDULED TRANSMISSION SERVICE REVENUE	0	
105	BROADCAST-PROGRAM SERVICE REVENUE	55,418	
106	NEWS (CND) SERVICE REVENUE	0	
107	TICKER SERVICE REVENUE	20,211	
108	BULLETIN SERVICE REVENUE	0	
109	FACSIMILE OR PHOTOGRAFIC SERVICE REVENUE	0	
110	TELEPHONE SERVICE REVENUE	0	
111	MISCELLANEOUS TRANSMISSION SERVICE REVENUE	0	
112	TOTAL OTHER TRANSMISSION REVENUE	567,116	
113	TOTAL TRANSMISSION REVENUE	981,228	
	NONTRANSMISSION REVENUE		
114	REVENUE FROM FURNISHING AND SERVICING STATIONS	0	
115	LEASED-CIRCUIT REVENUE	363,880	
116	MEASURED-SERVICE REVENUE	0	
117	OTHER LEASED PLANT REVENUE	82,242	
118	CODE-REGISTRATION REVENUE	0	
119	ERRAND-SERVICE REVENUE	0	
120	MONEY-ORDER CHARGES	935	
121	TIME-SERVICE REVENUE	0	
	MISCELLANEOUS NONTRANSMISSION REVENUE	61,842	

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TABLE 34 STATISTICS OF DOMESTIC AND OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS REPORTING ANNUALLY TO THE COMMISSION AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1972 AND FOR YEAR THEN ENDED -CONTINUED

NO	ITEM	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS - CONTINUED	
		CABLE & WIRELESS/ WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL INC 9	
122	TOTAL NONTRANSMISSION REVENUE	508 899	
123	OTHER TELECOMMUNICATION REVENUE		
124	TELEPHONE REVENUE - TELEPHONE SYSTEMS	0	
125	EARTH STATION REVENUE	0	
126	RADIOTELEGRAPH REVENUE - RADIOTELEGRAPH SYSTEMS	0	
127	TOTAL OTHER TELECOMMUNICATION REVENUE	0	
128	TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE	1,490,127	
	OPERATING EXPENSES		
129	MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	227,702	
130	CONDUCTING OPERATIONS EXPENSES		
131	SALARIES OF OPERATIONS SUPERVISORS	55,908	
132	WAGES OF OPERATORS	176,674	
133	WAGES OF OPERATING-OFFICE EMPLOYEES AND STATION ATTENDANTS	113,680	
134	WAGES OF MESSENGERS	46,744	
135	RENTS	300,277	
136	GENERAL CONDUCTING-OPERATIONS EXPENSES	190,547	
137	GENERAL SERVICES LICENSES AND ROYALTIES		
138	--DR	8,325	
139	--CR	0	
140	RELIEF AND PENSIONS	146,274	
141	ALL OTHER GENERAL EXPENSES	32,015	
142	ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	199,721	
143	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	1,497,867	
	PLANT AND OPERATING STATISTICS		
144	MILES (NAUTICAL) OF OCEAN CABLE	0	
145	OWNED	0	
146	LEASED	0	
147	MILES OF WIRE		
148	MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE		
149	IN AERIAL CABLE	0	
150	IN UNDERGROUND CABLE	0	
151	IN SUBMARINE CABLE	0	
152	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE IN CABLE	0	
153	MILES OF AERIAL WIRE (NOT IN CABLE)	0	
154	TOTAL MILES OF WIRE	0	
155	MILES OF POLE LINE	0	
156	MILES OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT (SINGLE DUCT)	0	
157	NUMBER OF VOICE GRADE CHANNELS IN CABLE SATELLITES AND ON MICROWAVE USED FOR TRANS-OCEANIC COMMUNICATIONS		
158	* U.S. POINT OF ORIGIN *		
159	TO AUSTRIA VIA CABLE	-	
160	TO BELGIUM VIA CABLE	-	
161	TO BELGIUM VIA SATELLITE	-	
162	TO FRANCE VIA CABLE	-	
163	TO FRANCE VIA SATELLITE	-	
164	TO GERMANY VIA CABLE	-	
165	TO GERMANY VIA SATELLITE	-	
166	TO GREECE VIA CABLE	-	
167	TO GREECE VIA SATELLITE	-	
168	TO HUNGARY, POLAND, ROMANIA VIA CABLE	-	
169	TO ICELAND VIA CABLE	-	
170	TO IRELAND VIA CABLE	-	
171	TO ITALY VIA CABLE	-	
172	TO ITALY VIA SATELLITE	-	
173	TO NETHERLANDS VIA CABLE	-	
174	TO NETHERLANDS VIA SATELLITE	-	
175	TO PORTUGAL VIA CABLE	-	
176	TO SPAIN VIA CABLE	-	
177	TO SPAIN VIA SATELLITE	-	
178	TO SWITZERLAND VIA CABLE	-	
179	TO SWITZERLAND VIA SATELLITE	-	

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NO	ITEM	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS--CONTINUED	
		CABLE & WIRELESS/ WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL, INC 9	
175	TO SWITZERLAND VIA SATELLITE	-	
176	TO U S S R VIA CABLE	-	
177	TO UNITED KINGDOM VIA CABLE	-	
178	TO UNITED KINGDOM VIA SATELLITE	-	
179	TO YUGOSLAVIA VIA CABLE	-	
180	TO ARGENTINA VIA SATELLITE	-	
181	TO BAHAMAS VIA OH MICROWAVE	-	
182	TO BERMUDA VIA CABLE	-	
183	TO BRAZIL VIA SATELLITE	-	
184	TO CHILI VIA SATELLITE	-	
185	TO COLUMBIA VIA SATELLITE	-	
186	TO CUBA VIA CABLE	-	
187	TO DOMINICAN REPUBLIC VIA CABLE	-	
188	TO ECUADOR VIA SATELLITE	-	
189	TO EL SALVADOR VIA LANDLINE FACILITIES	-	
190	TO GUATEMALA VIA LANDLINE FACILITIES	-	
191	TO JAMAICA VIA CABLE	-	
192	TO MARTINIQUE VIA SATELLITE	-	
193	TO MEXICO VIA LANDLINE FACILITIES	-	
194	TO NICARAGUA VIA SATELLITE	-	
195	TO PANAMA VIA CABLE	-	
196	TO PANAMA VIA SATELLITE	-	
197	TO PERU VIA SATELLITE	-	
198	TO PUERTO RICO VIA CABLE	-	
199	TO PUERTO RICO VIA SATELLITE	-	
200	TO VENEZUELA VIA CABLE	-	
201	TO ASCENSION ISLAND VIA SATELLITE	-	
202	TO CANARY ISLANDS VIA SATELLITE	-	
203	TO EGYPT, UNITED REPUBLIC OF VIA CABLE	-	
204	TO IRAN VIA SATELLITE	-	
205	TO ISRAEL VIA CABLE	-	
206	TO IVORY COAST VIA SATELLITE	-	
207	TO JORDAN VIA SATELLITE	-	
208	TO LEBANON VIA CABLE	-	
209	TO MALAGASSY VIA SATELLITE	-	
210	TO MOROCCO VIA SATELLITE	-	
211	TO NIGERIA VIA SATELLITE	-	
212	TO SOUTH AFRICA VIA CABLE	-	
213	TO TUNISIA VIA CABLE	-	
214	TO TURKEY VIA CABLE	-	
215	TO AUSTRALIA VIA CABLE	-	
216	TO AUSTRALIA VIA SATELLITE	-	
217	TO CHINA, REPUBLIC OF VIA SATELLITE	-	
218	TO GUAM VIA CABLE	-	
219	TO GUAM VIA SATELLITE	-	
220	TO HAWAII VIA CABLE	-	
221	TO HAWAII VIA SATELLITE	-	
222	TO HAWAII VIA 48 KHZ	-	
223	TO HONG KONG VIA SATELLITE	-	
224	TO INDONESIA VIA CABLE	-	
225	TO JAPAN VIA CABLE	-	
226	TO JAPAN VIA SATELLITE	-	
227	TO KOREA VIA SATELLITE	-	
228	TO NEW ZEALAND VIA SATELLITE	-	
229	TO PAKISTAN VIA CABLE	-	
230	TO PHILIPPINES VIA CABLE	-	
231	TO PHILIPPINES VIA SATELLITE	-	
232	TO TAIWAN VIA SATELLITE	-	
233	TO THAILAND VIA SATELLITE * HAWAII POINT OF ORIGIN *	-	
234	TO ALASKA VIA SATELLITE	-	
235	TO AUSTRALIA VIA CABLE	-	
236	TO GUAM VIA CABLE	-	
237	TO GUAM VIA SATELLITE	-	
238	TO GUAM VIA 48 KHZ	-	
239	TO HONG KONG VIA SATELLITE	-	
240	TO JAPAN VIA CABLE	-	
241	TO JAPAN VIA SATELLITE	-	
242	TO KOREA VIA SATELLITE	-	
243	TO PHILIPPINES VIA CABLE	-	
244	TO PHILIPPINES VIA SATELLITE	-	
245	TO THAILAND VIA CABLE	-	
246	TO THAILAND VIA SATELLITE * GUAM POINT OF ORIGIN *	-	
247	TO AUSTRALIA VIA CABLE	-	
248	TO AUSTRALIA VIA SATELLITE	-	
249	TO JAPAN VIA CABLE	-	
250	TO JAPAN VIA SATELLITE	-	
251	TO PHILIPPINES VIA CABLE	-	
252	TO SAIPAN TRUST TER VIA OH MICROWAVE	-	
253	TO THAILAND * PUERTO RICO POINT OF ORIGIN *	-	
254	TO BARBADOS VIA MICROWAVE	-	
255	TO DOMINICAN REPUBLIC VIA CABLE	-	
256	TO VIRGIN ISLANDS VIA OH MICROWAVE	-	
257	TO VENEZUELA VIA CABLE * VIRGIN ISLANDS POINT OF ORIGIN *	-	
258	TO ST. KITTS VIA MICROWAVE	-	
259	TO ST. MARTIN VIA MICROWAVE	-	

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TABLE 34 STATISTICS OF DOMESTIC AND OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS REPORTING ANNUALLY TO THE COMMISSION AS OF DECEMBER 31 1972 AND FOR YEAR THEN ENDED --CONTINUED

NO.	ITEM	OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS--CONTINUED	
		CABLE & WIRELESS/ WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL INC 9	
	SERVICE EQUIPMENT FURNISHED FREE TO CUSTOMERS		
260	TELEGRAPH PRINTERS	31	
261	TELEGRAPH PRINTER TIE LINES	391	
262	MORSE TIE LINES	0	
263	DESK FAX	0	
264	DESK FAX TIE LINES	0	
265	TELEPHONES	0	
266	TELEPHONE TIE LINES	0	
267	PNEUMATIC TUBES	0	
268	CALL BOXES AND CIRCUITS	0	
269	AUTOMATIC TRANSMITTING APPARATUS	0	
270	OTHER	0	
	FIXED RADIOTELEGRAPH CIRCUITS (NUMBER OF CIRCUITS AVAILABLE FOR OPERATION AT END OF YEAR)		
	TYPE OF TRANSMISSION		
271	CONTINENTAL FIXED	0	
272	INSULAR FIXED	0	
273	FOREIGN FIXED (FOREIGN SERVICE CLASSIFICATION)	0	
274	FOREIGN FIXED (DOMESTIC SERVICE CLASSIFICATION)	0	
275	TOTAL	0	
	TELEGRAPH OFFICES UNITED STATES 12		
276	INDEPENDENT	0	
277	MAIN	0	
278	BRANCH	0	
279	JOINT	0	
280	AGENCY OR COMMISSION OFFICES FOREIGN	0	
281	INDEPENDENT	4	
282	MAIN	3	
283	BRANCH	1	
284	JOINT	0	
285	AGENCY OR COMMISSION OFFICES	0	
286	TOTAL TELEGRAPH OFFICES	4	
	TELEGRAPH REVENUE MESSAGES HANDLED NUMBER OF MESSAGES		
287	DOMESTIC MESSAGES 13	0	
288	TRANSOCEANIC MESSAGES 15	217 896	
289	MARINE MESSAGES	0	
290	TOTAL	217 896	
291	DOMESTIC TRANSMISSION OF TRANSOCEANIC AND MARINE MESSAGES	0	
	NUMBER OF WORDS		
292	TRANSOCEANIC MESSAGES 15	6 714 412	
293	MARINE MESSAGES	0	
	AMOUNT OF REVENUE		
294	DOMESTIC MESSAGES 13	\$0	
295	TRANSOCEANIC MESSAGES 15	414 112	
296	MARINE MESSAGES	0	
297	DOMESTIC TRANSMISSION OF TRANSOCEANIC AND MARINE MESSAGES	0	
298	TOTAL	414 112	
	EMPLOYEES AND COMPENSATION		
299	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT END OF OCTOBER	87	
300	TOTAL COMPENSATION FOR YEAR	839 760	
301	COMPENSATION CHARGEABLE TO OPERATING EXPENSES	839 760	

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NOTE - DOMESTIC AND OVERSEAS TELEGRAPH CARRIERS HAVING ANNUAL OPERATING REVENUES EXCEEDING \$50,000 ARE REQUIRED TO FILE ANNUAL REPORTS WITH THE COMMISSION
DEFICIT OR REVERSE ITEM

1. WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO HAD AN ESTIMATED NET REDUCTION IN FEDERAL INCOME TAX EXPENSE OF \$4,500,000 ARISING FROM THE UTILIZATION FOR INCOME TAX PURPOSES BUT NOT FOR ACCOUNTING PURPOSES, OF A LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION METHOD RECOGNIZED BY SECTION 167 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1954. IT ALSO HAD AN ESTIMATED INCREASE IN FEDERAL INCOME TAX EXPENSE OF \$57,000 ARISING FROM THE USE FOR TAX PURPOSES IN PRIOR YEARS OF FIVE-YEAR AMORTIZATION AUTHORIZED UNDER SECTION 168 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1954. THE ACCUMULATED NET BALANCE AT DECEMBER 31, 1972 OF LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION AND FIVE-YEAR AMORTIZATION INCOME TAX DIFFERENTIALS ACCOUNTED FOR ON THE "FLOW THROUGH" BASIS WAS \$60,100,000.
2. THE LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION INCOME TAX DIFFERENTIALS ACCUMULATED IN THE ACCOUNTS OF MACKAY (ITT WORLD) DURING THE YEARS 1954 THROUGH 1960 ARE BEING AMORTIZED IN EQUAL AMOUNTS OVER TEN YEARS BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 1962 TO PROVISION FOR FEDERAL INCOME TAXES. ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS INC HAD FOR THE YEAR 1972 A NET REDUCTION IN FEDERAL INCOME TAX EXPENSE OF \$2,670,000 ARISING FROM THE UTILIZATION FOR TAX PURPOSES OF LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION WHICH WAS ACCOUNTED FOR ON THE "FLOW THROUGH" BASIS. THE ACCUMULATED NET AMOUNT OF LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION INCOME TAX DIFFERENTIALS ACCOUNTED FOR ON THE "FLOW THROUGH" BASIS FOR THE YEARS 1961 TO 1972 INCLUSIVE WAS \$9,619,064.
3. RCA GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC HAD A NET REDUCTION IN FEDERAL INCOME TAX EXPENSE OF APPROXIMATELY \$2,944,000, ARISING FROM THE UTILIZATION FOR INCOME TAX PURPOSES, BUT NOT FOR ACCOUNTING PURPOSES OF A LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION METHOD RECOGNIZED BY SECTION 167 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1954. THE ACCUMULATED AMOUNT OF LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION INCOME TAX DIFFERENTIALS ACCOUNTED FOR SINCE 1957 ON THE "FLOW THROUGH" BASIS WAS \$17,963,000.
4. WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL, INC HAD A NET REDUCTION IN FEDERAL INCOME TAX EXPENSE OF \$1,273,000 ARISING FROM THE UTILIZATION FOR INCOME TAX PURPOSES, BUT NOT FOR ACCOUNTING PURPOSES, OF A LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION METHOD RECOGNIZED BY SECTION 167 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1954. THE ACCUMULATED NET AMOUNT OF LIBERALIZED DEPRECIATION INCOME TAX DIFFERENTIALS ACCOUNTED FOR ON THE "FLOW THROUGH" BASIS SINCE THE COMPANY WAS FORMED OCTOBER 1, 1963, WAS \$4,371,000.
5. THE UNUSED INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT CARRYOVER, AVAILABLE FOR TAX REDUCTION IN SUBSEQUENT YEARS, IS ESTIMATED AT \$15,600,000. INVESTMENT TAX CREDITS UNDER THE REVENUE ACT OF 1962 WERE NOT UTILIZED BY WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO DUE TO THE ABSENCE OF TAX LIABILITY FOR 1972.
6. ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS INC REALIZED DURING 1972 INVESTMENT CREDITS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$747,824. THEY WERE GIVEN IMMEDIATE TOTAL FLOW THROUGH TREATMENT.
7. RCA GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS INC REALIZED DURING 1972 INVESTMENT CREDITS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,200,000. THEY WERE GIVEN IMMEDIATE TOTAL FLOW THROUGH TREATMENT.
8. TRT TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORP REPORTED THAT NO INVESTMENT CREDITS WERE REALIZED IN 1972.
9. UNITED STATES-LIBERIA RADIO CORPORATION REPORTED THAT NO INVESTMENT CREDITS WERE REALIZED IN 1972.
10. WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL, INC REPORTED THAT NO INVESTMENT CREDITS WERE REALIZED IN 1972.
11. REPRESENTS PRINCIPALLY REVENUES FROM MESSAGES WHICH DID NOT ORIGINATE IN, TERMINATE IN, OR TRANSIT THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES.
12. INCLUDES TERRITORIES AND POSSESSIONS OF THE UNITED STATES EXCEPT THE CANAL ZONE.
13. INCLUDES DOMESTIC CLASSIFICATION MESSAGES (PRIMARILY CANADIAN AND MEXICAN) HANDLED BY THE INTERNATIONAL CARRIERS.
14. INCLUDES THE DOMESTIC TRANSMISSION OF MARINE MESSAGES.
15. INCLUDES (1) TELEGRAPH TRAFFIC WHICH ORIGINATED IN, TERMINATED IN, OR TRANSITED THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES AND ITS POSSESSIONS, AND (2) TRAFFIC HANDLED BETWEEN POINTS LOCATED OUTSIDE THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES AND ITS POSSESSIONS.
16. EXCLUDES THE DOMESTIC TRANSMISSION OF MARINE MESSAGES.

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TABLE 35 BALANCE SHEET OF COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION (COMSAT) AT DECEMBER 31 1972 AND 1971

ITEM	1972	1971
ASSETS		
PROPERTY--AT ORIGINAL COST		
PLANT		
SATELLITES	\$137 805 874	\$94 072 166
EARTH STATIONS	46 895 665	43 716 955
LAND BUILDINGS FURNITURE EQUIPMENT AND LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENTS	27 591 037	27 038 910
CONSTRUCTION IN PROGRESS	35 682 582	36 839 183
TOTAL PLANT	247 975 158	201 667 214
MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY		
RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT	512 666	20 481 280
SATELLITE SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT COSTS	32 244 276	24 553 196
TOTAL	19 685 921	19 689 021
300 418 021	266 390 711	
LESS ACCUMULATED PROVISION FOR DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION--		
SATELLITES	48 291 974	28 422 304
EARTH STATIONS	16 427 246	11 928 661
BUILDINGS FURNITURE EQUIPMENT AND LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENTS	6 922 393	5 285 602
RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT	11 594 212	7 385 135
SATELLITE SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT COSTS	6 801 532	4 774 143
TOTAL	90 037 357	57 795 845
TOTAL PROPERTY--NET	210 380 664	208 594 866
INVESTMENTS		
INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES	3 401 567	294 710
CURRENT ASSETS		
CASH	661 183	6 042 850
TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	94 320 124	98 689 362
ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE FROM AFFILIATED COMPANIES	60 507	61 409
RECEIVABLE FROM PARTICIPANTS IN COMMUNICATION SATELLITE SYSTEM	4 881 486	5 114 706
OTHER ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE	125 603	110 905
DUUE FROM CUSTOMERS AND AGENTS	9 438 323	3 085 791
INTEREST AND DIVIDENDS RECEIVABLE	1 084 688	1 374 847
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES	295 250	330 206
OTHER CURRENT ASSETS	580 297	386 803
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	111 447 461	115 196 879
PREPAID AND DEFERRED CHARGES		
PREPAYMENTS AND DEPOSITS	771 307	813 011
DEFERRED EARTH STATION PREOPERATING COSTS	64 089	345 392
DEFERRED AERONAUTICAL SATELLITE SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT COSTS	1 489 536	1 253 917
DEFERRED DOMESTIC SATELLITE SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT COSTS	1 319 375	2 745 964
DEFERRED MARITIME SATELLITE SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT COSTS	368 203	0
TOTAL PREPAID AND DEFERRED CHARGES	4 012 510	5 158 284
TOTAL ASSETS	329 242 202	329 244 739
CAPITALIZATION AND LIABILITIES		
CAPITALIZATION		
COMMON CAPITAL STOCK--WITHOUT PAR VALUE--AUTHORIZED 10 000,100 SHARES ISSUED AND OUTSTANDING 10 000 014 SHARES (AT DECEMBER 31 1972 7 078,189 SHARES OF SERIES I OWNED BY GENERAL PUBLIC AND 2 921 825 SHARES OF SERIES II OWNED BY AUTHORIZED CARRIERS)	196 001 400	196 001 400
RETAINED EARNINGS	83 211 919	63 696 643
TOTAL	279 213 319	259 696 043
LESS CAPITAL STOCK EXPENSE	788 839	788 839
TOTAL CAPITALIZATION--NET	278 424 480	258 907 204
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES		
OTHER NOTES PAYABLE	1 050	1 400
OTHER ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	304 639	306 788
OTHER CURRENT LIABILITIES	13 325 308	22 540 645
TAXES ACCRUED	2 312 678	15 392 768
TOTAL	15 943 675	38 241 601
INVESTMENT CREDITS UNAMORTIZED	2 685 349	1 617 000
PROVISION FOR DEFERRED INCOME TAXES	32 188 698	30 478 934
TOTAL CAPITALIZATION AND LIABILITIES	329 242 202	329 244 739

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SOURCE ANNUAL REPORTS OF COMSAT TO ITS SHAREHOLDERS AND ITS ANNUAL REPORTS TO F C C NOTE--IN PRIOR YEARS, COMSAT DID NOT FILE ON THE STANDARD FORM PROVIDED BY THE COMMISSION IN USING THE PRESCRIBED FORM FOR 1972. SOME CLASSIFICATION CHANGES TO THE 1971 FIGURES WERE NECESSARY FOR COMPARABILITY WITH THE CURRENT YEAR. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AS PUBLISHED BY COMSAT HAVE BEEN OMITTED. SATELLITE HISTORY IS THAT COMSAT PURCHASED TWO SATELLITES OF ITS SERIES I OF WHICH ONLY ONE (EARLY BIRD) WAS LAUNCHED. IT PURCHASED FIVE SATELLITES OF ITS SERIES II BUT LAUNCHED ONLY FOUR OF THEM WITH THREE OF THE FOUR BEING COMPLETELY SUCCESSFUL. ALL EIGHT OF THE SERIES III SATELLITES PURCHASED WERE LAUNCHED BUT THREE OF THE EIGHT WERE FAILURES. EIGHT SATELLITES OF SERIES IV HAVE BEEN PURCHASED AND FOUR HAVE BEEN LAUNCHED SUCCESSFULLY. THEY WERE MADE ON JANUARY 25 AND DECEMBER 19, 1971 BOTH FOR ATLANTIC SERVICE, ON JANUARY 22, 1972 FOR PACIFIC SERVICE, AND ON JUNE 13, 1972 FOR INDIAN OCEAN SERVICE.

COMSAT'S PLAN OF ACCOUNTING CALLS FOR SATELLITES TO BE DEPRECIATED OVER FIXED PERIODS WITHOUT REGARD TO WHETHER THEY WERE EVER LAUNCHED OR WHETHER THE LAUNCHES WERE SUCCESSFUL, AND DEPRECIATION CONTINUES OVER THESE FIXED PERIODS EVEN THOUGH A SATELLITE FAILS IN ORBIT OR ITS USE IS DISCONTINUED FOR OTHER REASONS. AN EXCEPTION WAS ACCORDED THE FIRST OF THE INTELSAT II SERIES WHICH WAS LAUNCHED OCTOBER 26, 1966 AND FAILED TO ACHIEVE SYNCHRONOUS ORBIT AND WAS TREATED AS A SEPARATE SUBDIVISION OF SATELLITE SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT COSTS (AMORTIZED OVER 36 MONTHS FROM MAY 1, 1967 ON A STRAIGHT LINE BASIS) UNTIL ITS RETIREMENT FROM THE ACCOUNTS IN 1970 WHILE THE LAST OF THE SATELLITES OF THE INTELSAT II SERIES HAD BEEN FULLY DEPRECIATED IN THE ACCOUNTS SOMETIME BEFORE THE END OF 1970. THEY WERE NOT ALL RETIRED IN THE ACCOUNTS UNTIL 1971 WHEN USE EITHER ACTUAL OR STANDBY HAD CEASED. THE FIXED DEPRECIATION LIVES OF THE SATELLITES ARE 60 MONTHS FOR THOSE OF THE INTELSAT III SERIES AND 84 MONTHS FOR THOSE OF THE INTELSAT IV SERIES.

EARTH STATIONS ARE CONSIDERED AS HAVING APPROXIMATELY TEN-YEAR LIVES FOR DEPRECIATION PURPOSES. THE LABORATORIES BUILDING IS ASSIGNED A LIFE OF 40 YEARS BUT EQUIPMENT IN IT IS DEPRECIATED OVER 5 YEARS. SATELLITE SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT COSTS (OTHER THAN THE UNSUCCESSFUL SATELLITE MENTIONED JUST ABOVE) ARE BEING AMORTIZED OVER 10 YEARS COMMENCING MAY 1, 1967 BY A REVERSE SUM-OF-THE-YEARS-DIGITS METHOD. RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT COSTS ARE BEING CAPITALIZED, AND EACH SIX MONTHS' ACCUMULATION IS BEING AMORTIZED ON A STRAIGHT-LINE BASIS, OVER A PERIOD OF 60 MONTHS, BEGINNING WITH THE FIRST DAY OF THE FOLLOWING SEMI-ANNUAL PERIOD.

THE BALANCE SHEET ITEM CALLED MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY AMOUNTING TO \$20,481,280, AT DECEMBER 31, 1971 REPRESENTS PRINCIPALLY ACCUMULATED COSTS INCLUDING INTEREST DURING CONSTRUCTION INCURRED BY COMSAT IN CONNECTION WITH THE ACQUISITION OF THE FIFTH THROUGH THE EIGHTH SATELLITES OF THE INTELSAT IV SERIES. THIS EXCEPTION TO THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING CLASSIFICATION WAS REQUESTED IN COMMISSION LETTERS OF NOVEMBER 19, 1969 AND JANUARY 26, 1970 AND REFLECTED THE COMMISSION'S FEELING THAT COMSAT HAD NOT FULLY JUSTIFIED AN UNQUALIFIED AUTHORIZATION FOR THE PURCHASE OF THE FOUR SATELLITES. IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE COMMISSION'S ORDER DATED OCTOBER 18, 1972 THESE COSTS WERE TRANSFERRED TO CONSTRUCTION.

CERTAIN COSTS, PRIMARILY SATELLITE SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT AND UNSUCCESSFUL SATELLITES WERE CAPITALIZED IN THE ACCOUNTS BUT TREATED AS REDUCTIONS IN TAXABLE INCOME FOR INCOME TAX PURPOSES. THIS TAX TREATMENT RESULTED IN COMSAT HAVING NO TAXABLE INCOME FROM THE TIME IT COMMENCED BUSINESS THROUGH 1969 IN 1970. HOWEVER, COMSAT'S TAX LOSS CARRYOVERS WERE EXHAUSTED AND IT REPORTED \$5,347,000 OF INCOME TAXES ACTUALLY PAYABLE AFTER DEDUCTING \$649,000 OF INVESTMENT CREDITS REALIZED WITHOUT TAXABLE INCOME. COMSAT COULD NOT REALIZE ON ITS INVESTMENT CREDITS AT ALL UNTIL 1970 AND EVEN THEN COULD REALIZE ONLY A PART OF THOSE CARRIED FORWARD. PRIOR TO THE ENACTMENT OF THE REVENUE ACT OF 1971, COMSAT HAD THOUGHT OF ITSELF AS QUALIFYING FOR INVESTMENT CREDITS AT A 7% RATE AND THAT ITS REVENUE REQUIREMENTS COULD NOT BE REDUCED BY INVESTMENT CREDITS. HOWEVER, IT IS NOW CLEAR THAT COMSAT WAS ENTITLED ONLY TO A 3% INVESTMENT CREDIT (INCREASED TO 4% BY THE REVENUE ACT OF 1971) AND THAT THE INVESTMENT CREDITS MAY HAVE AN EFFECT UPON REVENUE REQUIREMENTS. ACCOUNTING ADJUSTMENTS FOR THE CHANGED VIEW OF INVESTMENT CREDITS MADE IN THE 1971 ACCOUNTS RESULTING IN UNUSED INVESTMENT CREDITS WHICH COMSAT EXPECTS TO REALIZE FULLY IN FUTURE YEARS. COMSAT'S INCOME STATEMENTS SHOW INCOME TAX EXPENSE IN AMOUNTS LESS THAN THAT ACTUALLY PAYABLE. THIS IS THE RESULT OF COMSAT IN EARLIER YEARS HAVING FOLLOWED THE PRACTICE OF RECORDING CALCULATED TAX AMOUNTS WITH OFFSETTING ENTRIES TO PROVISION FOR DEFERRED INCOME TAXES. THIS PROVISION IS NOW BEING CONSUMED BY THE TAX VALUES OF DEPRECIATION OR AMORTIZATION OF ITEMS SUCH AS SATELLITE SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT COSTS, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT AND COSTS OF UNSUCCESSFUL SATELLITES WHICH REDUCE INCOME FOR ACCOUNTING PURPOSES BUT NOT FOR INCOME TAX PURPOSES.

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TABLE 36 INCOME STATEMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION (COMSAT)
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31 1972 AND DECEMBER 31 1971

ITEM	1972	1971
OPERATING REVENUES		
FROM CONVENTIONAL COMMON CARRIERS		
FOR REGULAR MONTHLY FULL TIME SERVICE	\$89 036 145	\$73 775 903
FOR TELEVISION SERVICE	2 226 457	1 377 508
FOR OTHER OCCASIONAL SERVICES	848 658	3 551 089
FOR SERVICES AUTHORIZED TO BE SOLD DIRECTLY TO NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION (NASA) 1	427 274	1 706 059
CREDITS FROM INTERNATIONAL SATELLITE COMMUNICATIONS CONSORTIUM (INTELSAT) FOR COMSAT'S SHARE (APPROX 53%) OF ALL INTELSAT REVENUES 2	47 159 740	41 166 409
CHARGES FROM INTELSAT FOR USE OF SATELLITE CAPACITY 2	-36 234 750	35 343 884
MANAGEMENT SERVICES 3	145 929	145 978
USE OF FACILITIES BY OTHER INTELSAT MEMBERS 4	1 042 259	1 150 531
RENTAL FROM TRANSPORTABLE EARTH STATIONS LEASED TO INTELSAT 5	88 896	88 959
TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO FOREIGN ADMINISTRATIONS	463 966	243 752
MISCELLANEOUS 5A	760 155	522 824
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	105 964 729	88 385 128
OPERATING EXPENSES		
OPERATIONS	5 875 970	5 765 114
TECHNICAL	2 131 241	2 194 853
GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE	8 115 977	6 853 314
SATELLITE INCENTIVES 6	575 923	474 030
EARTH STATION USE CHARGES 7	12 861 839	14 449 146
FOREIGN USAGE 8	1 007 724	1 100 893
USE OF FACILITIES OF OTHER INTELSAT MEMBERS	0	4 980
TT&C CIRCUIT USAGE 9	-79 278	-84 353
DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION		
SATELLITE SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT COSTS	2 028 141	1 670 520
RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT COSTS	5 279 639	3 781 461
SATELLITES	19 878 054	14 011 565
EARTH STATIONS	4 755 894	4 281 403
OTHER	105 021	92 948
OPERATING TAXES		
FEDERAL INCOME TAXES 10	17 677 000	16 063 000
DEFERRED FEDERAL INCOME TAXES 10	1 710 000	1 529 000
INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT 10	1 556 000	1 352 000
OTHER OPERATING TAXES 11	1 057 100	1 484 100
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES AND TAXES	84 536 245	71 965 974
NET OPERATING INCOME	21 428 484	16 419 154
OTHER INCOME		
INCOME FROM TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	4 391 447	5 091 624
INCOME FROM INVESTMENTS IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES	81 445	0
INTEREST INCOME	66 842	311 621
OTHER INCOME	101 915	676 725
MISCELLANEOUS INCOME CHARGES		
CONTRIBUTIONS	-25 544	-15 057
INVESTMENT FEES	-12 541	-13 369
INTEREST ON ADDITIONAL INCOME TAXES ASSESSED	-71 781	-78 954
EXPENSES ASSOCIATED WITH MISCELLANEOUS PHYSICAL PROPERTY	-79 921	0
EXPENSES ASSOCIATED WITH INVESTMENTS IN NICATEL SAT 12	-37 728	-27 093
DEFERRED DOMESTIC SATELLITE SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT COSTS	-2 839 530	0
OTHER MISCELLANEOUS INCOME CHARGES	0	-372
FEDERAL INCOME TAXES	634 000	2 827 000
AMORTIZATION OF INVESTMENT CREDIT	559 000	68 000
INTEREST DURING CONSTRUCTION	2 039 450	2 931 791
TOTAL OTHER INCOME	3 539 054	6 117 916
NET INCOME	24 967 538	22 537 070

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SOURCE COMSAT RECORDS. ANNUAL REPORTS TO SHAREHOLDERS AND ANNUAL REPORTS TO F C C
 NOTE IN PRIOR YEARS, COMSAT DID NOT FILE ON THE STANDARD FORM PROVIDED BY THE COMMISSION IN USING THE PRESCRIBED FORM FOR 1972, SOME CLASSIFICATION CHANGES TO THE 1971 FIGURES WERE NECESSARY FOR COMPARABILITY WITH THE CURRENT YEAR

- 1/ BULK SALE OF EARTH STATION AND SATELLITE SERVICES MADE TO NASA UNDER A THREE-YEAR CONTRACT WHICH EXPIRED SEPTEMBER 30, 1969 BUT WAS EXTENDED FOR ONE YEAR ON A REDUCED SCALE TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1970 WHEN IT WAS AGAIN EXTENDED ON A FURTHER REDUCED SCALE TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1971 IT HAS BEEN FURTHER EXTENDED THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 1972
- 2/ COMSAT IN 1970, 1971 AND 1972 LEASED A SMALLER PROPORTION OF ALL SATELLITE CHANNELS SOLD BY INTELSAT THAN ITS OWNERSHIP SHARE (52.5%) IN INTELSAT THIS BALANCE WAS A REVERSAL OF EXPERIENCE THROUGH 1968 F C C ACCOUNTING INSTRUCTIONS (22 F C C 2D 795) REQUIRE A BALANCE ADVERSE TO COMSAT TO BE REPORTED AS AN EXPENSE AND A FAVORABLE BALANCE AS A REVENUE ITEM
- 3/ COMSAT RECEIVES FEES FOR ACTING AS MANAGER OF INTELSAT AND ALSO FOR MANAGING THE EARTH STATIONS (OTHER THAN GUAM WHICH IS UNDER THE PRIMARY MANAGEMENT OF RCA GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS INC.) WHICH ARE HALF OWNED BY THE REGULAR CARRIERS (EXCEPT THAT FROM ITS OPENING COMSAT OWNED 100% OF THE ALASKA EARTH STATION PENDING F C C DECISION ON HOW OWNERSHIP SHOULD BE SHARED WITH THE REGULAR CARRIERS)
- 4/ COMSAT USES THE MILL VILLAGE EARTH STATION OF CANADIAN OVERSEAS TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION (COTC) AND COTC USES EARTH STATIONS OF COMSAT COTC'S USE EXCEEDS THAT OF COMSAT COMPENSATION IS COMPUTED ON A CONTRACT RATE PER HOUR ON THE NET BALANCE OF USAGE THERE WAS A SMALL AMOUNT OF USAGE OF COMSAT EARTH STATIONS BY OTHERS THAN COTC IN BOTH 1971 AND 1972
- 5/ COMSAT OWNS 100% OF TRANSPORTABLE EARTH STATIONS IN HAWAII AND MAINE WHICH IT USES TO PROVIDE SATELLITE TRACKING, TELEMETRY AND COMMAND (TT&C) SERVICES TO INTELSAT (SEE 15 F C C 2D 65 AND 382) INTELSAT REIMBURSES COMSAT FOR ITS COSTS OF OPERATING THE TRANSPORTABLE EARTH STATIONS FOR TT&C PURPOSES AND COMSAT ACCOUNTS FOR THE 47% OF SUCH REIMBURSEMENT RECEIVED FROM OTHERS THAN ITSELF BY REDUCING THE VARIOUS EXPENSE CLASSIFICATIONS INTELSAT ALSO PAYS COMSAT \$188,000 ANNUALLY AS TT&C COMPENSATION OTHER THAN REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES AND IT IS 47% OF THIS COMPENSATION THAT COMSAT ACCOUNTS FOR AS REVENUES
- 6/ "SATELLITE INCENTIVES" ARE PART OF THE PURCHASE PRICE OF SATELLITES SUCH PURCHASE PRICE TYPICALLY CONSISTS OF A FIXED AMOUNT, PLUS A SUBSTANTIAL LUMP-SUM PAYMENT WHEN A SATELLITE IS LAUNCHED, PLUS SMALLER MONTHLY PAYMENTS WHILE THE SATELLITE IS IN OPERATING CONDITION IN ORBIT THE FIRST TWO ITEMS ARE CAPITALIZED UNDER THE F C C APPROVED PLAN OF ACCOUNTING FOR COMSAT (11 F C C 2D 737) WHILE THE THIRD ITEM IS TREATED AS AN OPERATING EXPENSE AS INCURRED
- 7/ AMOUNTS DUE TO THE HOLDERS OF HALF OWNERSHIP INTERESTS IN EARTH STATIONS AS COMPENSATION FOR THE USE OF SUCH STATIONS
- 8/ IN ADDITION TO THE HAWAII AND MAINE TRANSPORTABLE EARTH STATIONS OF COMSAT (SEE FOOTNOTE 5/ ABOVE) INTELSAT USES FOREIGN OWNED EARTH STATIONS FOR TT&C PURPOSES THE AMOUNTS RECORDED AS FOREIGN USAGE REPRESENT COMSAT'S 52.5% SHARE OF THE AMOUNTS DUE FOR FOREIGN EARTH STATION USAGE FOR THESE PURPOSES
- 9/ TT&C CIRCUIT USAGE EXPENSE CREDIT REPRESENTS CHARGES TO INTELSAT BY COMSAT FOR INCIDENTAL USE OF ITS REGULAR EARTH STATIONS FOR TT&C PURPOSES
- 10/ PRIOR TO 1970, AMOUNTS RECORDED BY COMSAT AS FEDERAL INCOME TAX EXPENSE BOTH OPERATING AND NON-OPERATING, WERE WHOLLY CALCULATED INCOME TAX VALUES SINCE, FOR REASONS SET FORTH IN THE NOTE TO TABLE 32, COMSAT HAD NO ACTUAL LIABILITY FOR PAYMENT OF INCOME TAXES PRIOR TO 1970 THE NOTE TO TABLE 32 ALSO DISCUSSES THE SITUATION WITH RESPECT TO THE INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT FIRST REALIZED IN 1970
- 11/ OTHER OPERATING TAXES REFLECT STATE INCOME TAXES AND DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA ANNUAL REPORT TAXES OTHER TAXES SUCH AS STATE PERSONAL PROPERTY AND REAL ESTATE TAXES AND FEDERAL AND STATE EMPLOYMENT TAXES WHICH APPROXIMATE \$1.7 MILLION IN BOTH 1972 AND 1971 ARE INCLUDED UNDER VARIOUS OPERATING EXPENSE CLASSIFICATIONS
- 12/ "NICATELSAT" STANDS FOR NICARAGUAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE COMPANY OWNED 51% BY THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT AND 49% BY COMSAT NICATELSAT OWNS AND OPERATES A SATELLITE EARTH STATION NEAR MANAGUA, NICARAGUA, WHICH WAS COMPLETED AT THE END OF 1972 AND PUT INTO COMMERCIAL SERVICE COMSAT'S BOOK INVESTMENT IN NICATELSAT WAS \$3,399,567 AT DECEMBER 31, 1972, CARRIED UNDER INVESTMENTS ON THE BALANCE SHEET

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TABLE 3.7 SELECTED FACILITY AND USAGE DATA OF COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION FOR YEARS 1972 1971 AND 1970

ITEM	1972	1971	1970
NUMBER OF STANDARD SIZE EARTH STATIONS AT DECEMBER 31	9 ANDOVER BREWSTER FLAT CAYEY ETAM JAMESBURG PAUMALU (2) GUAM TALKEETNA	9 ANDOVER BREWSTER FLAT CAYEY ETAM JAMESBURG PAUMALU (2) GUAM TALKEETNA	9 ANDOVER BREWSTER FLAT CAYEY ETAM JAMESBURG PAUMALU (2) GUAM TALKEETNA
NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT DECEMBER 31	1 171	1 213	1 248
TOTAL COMPENSATION OF EMPLOYEES	\$19 401 628	\$18 602 707	\$17 869 233
FULL TIME VOICE GRADE CIRCUITS LEASED AT DECEMBER 31			
LEASED TO REGULAR CARRIER CUSTOMERS -			
AS REGULAR CIRCUITS ATLANTIC 1	1 601	1 265	993
- PACIFIC 2	676	594	462
AS WIDEBAND (48KHZ) GROUPS (HALF CIRCUITS) 3	96	96	96
NASA APOLLO PROGRAM -4			
ATLANTIC (EQUIVALENT HALF CIRCUITS)	7	7	124
PACIFIC (EQUIVALENT HALF CIRCUITS)	0	0	0
TOTAL	2 380	1 962	1 675
NUMBER OF PUBLIC SHAREHOLDERS AT DECEMBER 31	106 410	113 679	122 553

SOURCE ANNUAL REPORTS TO SHAREHOLDERS AND ANNUAL REPORTS FILED WITH FCC

1 INCLUDES 220 239 AND 237 CIRCUITS IN 1970 1971 AND 1972 RESPECTIVELY BETWEEN U.S. MAINLAND AND PUERTO RICO COUNTED AS SINGLE CIRCUITS ALTHOUGH IN THIS CASE COMSAT PROVIDES BOTH UP AND DOWN LINKS

2 INCLUDES 244 336 AND 354 CIRCUITS IN 1970 1971 AND 1972 RESPECTIVELY BETWEEN THE LOCATIONS OUTLINED BELOW WHICH WERE COUNTED AS SINGLE CIRCUITS ALTHOUGH COMSAT PROVIDES BOTH UP AND DOWN LINKS

DESCRIPTION	1970	1971	1972
U.S. MAINLAND AND HAWAII	152	206	227
U.S. MAINLAND AND ALASKA	80	110	103
U.S. MAINLAND AND GUAM	11	14	16
HAWAII AND ALASKA	1	1	1
HAWAII AND GUAM	-	5	7
TOTAL	244	336	354

3 THERE WERE AT THE END OF 1972 FIVE WIDEBAND (48KHZ) SYSTEMS LEASED EACH SYSTEM USES 12 VOICE CIRCUITS IN EACH OF THE UP AND DOWN LINKS THIS WOULD INDICATE A TOTAL OF 120 HALF CIRCUITS USED EXCEPT THAT IN TWO SYSTEMS (SPAIN AND HAWAII-PHILIPPINES) A U.S. CARRIER DOES NOT SUPPLY THE DOWN LINK SO 120 LESS 24 EQUALS 96

4 VOICE GRADE CIRCUITS LEASED UNDER THE NASA APOLLO PROGRAM ARE REFERRED TO AS EQUIVALENT BECAUSE UNDER THE NASA CONTRACT THE CIRCUITS LEASED ARE OF A STIPULATED BANDWIDTH LESS THAN THE STANDARD 4KHZ OF A SATELLITE VOICE CIRCUIT

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TABLE 38 INTERCORPORATE RELATIONS OF COMMUNICATIONS CARRIERS AND CONTROLLING COMPANIES, DECEMBER 31 1972

NOTE --CARRIERS CONTROLLED BY OTHER COMPANIES ARE INDICATED BY INDENTATIONS FROM THE MARGIN FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS TABLE
 CONTROL IS DEFINED AS THE OWNERSHIP OF MORE THAN 50% OF A CARRIER'S COMMON STOCK INFORMATION SHOWN IS PRINCIPALLY
 FROM ANNUAL REPORTS FILED WITH THE COMMISSION IN SOME INSTANCES DATA WERE OBTAINED FROM UNOFFICIAL SOURCES

NO	NAME OF COMPANY	TYPE OF COMPANY	OPERATING REVENUES OF CARRIERS	PLACE AND DATE OF INCORPORATION	PERCENT OF VOTING POWER HELD BY CONTROLLING COMPANY	REMARKS
1	AMERICAN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	TELEPHONE	\$1,809,747,423	N Y 3-03-85		
2	BELL TELEPHONE CO OF PENNSYLVANIA THE	TELEPHONE	937,330,399	PA 9-18-79	100 00	
3	CHESAPEAKE & POTOMAC TELEPHONE CO . THE	TELEPHONE	183,654,115	N Y 7-02-83	100 00	
4	CHESAPEAKE & POTOMAC TELEPHONE CO OF MARYLAND, THE	TELEPHONE	454,710,257	M D 3-10-84	100 00	
5	CHESAPEAKE & POTOMAC TELEPHONE CO OF VIRGINIA, THE	TELEPHONE	412,463,747	V A 2-11-05	100 00	
6	CHESAPEAKE & POTOMAC TELEPHONE CO OF W VA THE	TELEPHONE	134,109,090	W VA 5-11-16	100 00	
7	DIAMOND STATE TELEPHONE CO . THE	TELEPHONE	60,500,506	D E L 3-31-97	100 00	
8	ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE CO	TELEPHONE	1,239,161,198	I L L 1-14-81	99 33	
9	INDIANA BELL TELEPHONE CO	TELEPHONE	291,018,614	I N D 2-06-20	100 00	
10	MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE CO	TELEPHONE	778,214,478	M I C H 1-26-04	99 99	
11	MOUNTAIN STATES TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO . THE	TELEPHONE	902,777,070	C O L O 7-17-11	86 75	
12	MALHUER HOME TELEPHONE CO	TELEPHONE	1,672,283	O R E 11-07-10	100 00	
13	NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	TELEPHONE	1,050,084,265	N Y 10-19-83	71 36	
14	NEW JERSEY BELL TELEPHONE CO	TELEPHONE	850,647,491	N J 8-25-04	100 00	
15	NEW YORK TELEPHONE CO	TELEPHONE	2,620,088,512	N Y 6-18-96	100 00	
16	NORTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO	TELEPHONE	733,050,002	I O W A 8-28-96	100 00	
17	OHIO BELL TELEPHONE CO . THE	TELEPHONE	637,850,688	O H I O 9-20-21	100 00	
18	PACIFIC NORTHWEST BELL TELEPHONE CO	TELEPHONE	530,720,916	W A S H 3-27-61	89 22	
19	PACIFIC TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO . THE	TELEPHONE	2,357,155,187	C A L I F 12-31-06	89 72	
						AMERICAN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO OWNS 90 16% OF THE COMMON STOCK AND 78 17% OF THE PREFERRED STOCK EACH SHARE OF COMMON STOCK CARRIES ONE VOTE AND EACH SHARE OF PREFERRED, SEVEN VOTES
20	BELL TELEPHONE CO OF NEVADA	TELEPHONE	50,735,895	N E V 1-13-13	100 00	
21	SOUTH CENTRAL BELL TELEPHONE CO	TELEPHONE	1,212,333,738	D E L 10-23-67	100 00	
22	SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	TELEPHONE	1,506,597,931	N Y 12-20-79	100 00	
23	SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO	TELEPHONE	2,035,326,277	M O 8-24-82	99 99	
24	WISCONSIN TELEPHONE CO	TELEPHONE	295,915,161	W I S C 7-7-82	100 00	
25	CABLE & WIRELESS WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL, INC	TELEGRAPH	1,490,127	P R 5-19-67		WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL, INC AND CABLE & WIRELESS (WEST INDIES) LIMITED EACH OWN 50% OF THE COMMON STOCK
26	CINCINNATI BELL TELEPHONE CO . THE	TELEPHONE	135,854,670	O H I O 7-05-73		BELL INTERESTS OWN 25 72% OF THE COMMON STOCK AND THE COMPANY HAS LICENSE CONTRACT ARRANGEMENTS WITH THE AMERICAN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO
27	CITIZENS UTILITIES CO	HOLDING		D E L 11-12-35		
28	CITIZENS UTILITIES CO OF CALIFORNIA	TELEPHONE	8,179,272	C A L I F 7-01-27	100 00	CITIZENS UTILITIES CO OWNS 100% OF THE COMMON STOCK AND 100% OF THE PREFERRED STOCK BOTH CLASSES HAVE EQUAL VOTING POWER
29	COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE CORPORATION	SATELLITE	105,964,729	D C 2-01-63		
30	CONTINENTAL TELEPHONE CORPORATION	HOLDING	-	D E L 12-16-60		
31	CONTINENTAL TELEPHONE CO OF CALIFORNIA	TELEPHONE	61,690,550	C A L I F 1-21-54		CONTINENTAL TELEPHONE CORPORATION OWNS 99 66% OF THE COMMON STOCK AND 0 33% OF THE VOTING PREFERRED STOCK
32	IDAHO TELEPHONE COMPANY	TELEPHONE	2,511,739	I D A H O 5-10-54	100 00	
33	WESTERN CAROLINA TELEPHONE CO	TELEPHONE	6,104,619	N C 9-24-24	92 00	
34	WESTCO TELEPHONE CO	TELEPHONE	3,196,156	N C 7-05-60	100 00	

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NOTE --CARRIERS CONTROLLED BY OTHER COMPANIES ARE INDICATED BY INDENTATIONS FROM THE MARGIN FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS TABLE
 CONTROL IS DEFINED AS THE OWNERSHIP OF MORE THAN 50% OF A CARRIER'S COMMON STOCK INFORMATION SHOWN IS PRINCIPALLY
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35 CUBAN AMERICAN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO	TELEPHONE	1 838 952	CUBA	10-27-19	
THE AMERICAN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO AND THE INTERNATIONAL TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CORPORATION EACH OWN 50.00% OF THE COMMON STOCK					
36 FIRESTONE TIRE AND RUBBER CO THE 1	HOLDING		OHIO	3-04-10	
37 UNITED STATES LIBERIA RADIO CORPORATION	TELEGRAPH	87 185	DEL	9-21-26	100.00
38 GENERAL TELEPHONE AND ELECTRONICS CORPORATION	HOLDING	-	N Y	2-25-35	-
39 DELAWARE VALLEY TELEPHONE COMPANY	TELEPHONE	1 335 766	PENN	4 29-74	100.00
40 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF ALASKA	TELEPHONE	1 452 772	ALASKA	7-14-35	100.00
41 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF INDIANA	TELEPHONE	110 998 718	INO	5-27-63	100.00
42 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF MICHIGAN	TELEPHONE	91 904 366	MICH	11-04-26	100.00
43 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF THE NORTHWEST INC	TELEPHONE	111 768 121	WASH	3-31-64	100.00
44 WEST COAST TELEPHONE CO OF CALIFORNIA	TELEPHONE	2 386 131	CALIF	8-17-28	100.00
45 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF OHIO	TELEPHONE	72 443 974	OHIO	10-18-24	100.00
46 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF THE SOUTHEAST	TELEPHONE	108 723 641	VA	7-29-47	100.00
47 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF THE SOUTHWEST	TELEPHONE	148 057 679	DEL	6-28-26	100.00
48 GENERAL TELEPHONE CO OF UPSTATE NEW YORK INC	TELEPHONE	24 598 227	N Y	6-20-99	100.00
49 HAWAIIAN TELEPHONE COMPANY	TELEPHONE	118 471 444	HAWAII	8-16-83	100.00
50 GREAT SOUTHWEST TELEPHONE CORPORATION 1	HOLDING		TEXAS	-	-
51 NAVAJO COMMUNICATIONS CO INC	TELEPHONE	2 778 455	N M	12-02-69	100.00
52 INTERNATIONAL TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CORPORATION	HOLDING		MD	6-16-20	-
53 U S TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CORPORATION	HOLDING	-	DEL	3-26-65	100.00
54 AMERICAN CABLE & RADIO CORPORATION	HOLDING	-	DEL	9-27-61	100.00
55 ALL AMERICA CABLES & RADIO INC	TELEPHONE	9 891 002	N Y	2-01-83	100.00
56 PUERTO RICO TELEPHONE CO	TELEPHONE	62 302 821	DEL	6-23-14	100.00
57 ITT COMMUNICATIONS, INC -V I	TELEPHONE	8 066 612	DEL	1-30-63	100.00
58 VIRGIN ISLANDS TELEPHONE CORPORATION	TELEPHONE	7 843 969	V I	10-16-59	100.00
59 ITT WORLD COMMUNICATIONS INC	TELEGRAPH	74 711 167	DEL	9-13-26	100.00
60 LORAIN ELECTRONICS CORPORATION	TELEPHONE	144 315	OHIO	2-14-28	-
AFFILIATED WITH THE LORAIN TELEPHONE CO					
61 LORAIN TELEPHONE CO THE	TELEPHONE	9 784 371	OHIO	3-07-28	
AFFILIATED WITH THE LORAIN ELECTRONICS CORP					
62 MID-CONTINENT TELEPHONE CORPORATION 1	HOLDING		OHIO	6-06-60	-
63 GENEVA TELEPHONE CO	TELEPHONE	2 624 868	OHIO	5-31-61	100.00
64 MID-PENN TELEPHONE CORPORATION	TELEPHONE	17 421 891	PENN	11-17-64	100.00
65 NEMONT TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE INC	TELEPHONE	1 023 866	MONT	10-16-50	-
66 NORFOLK & CAROLINA TELEPHONE CO THE	TELEPHONE	5 179 427	N C	10-14-02	-
67 NORFOLK & CAROLINA TELEPHONE CO OF VA THE	TELEPHONE	1 383 989	VA	12-26-13	-
68 RCA CORPORATION	HOLDING		DEL	10-17-19	-
69 RCA ALASKA COMMUNICATIONS INC	TELEPHONE	35 532 611	ALASKA	8-14-69	100.00
70 RCA GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS INC	TELEGRAPH	98 550 769	DEL	1-03-29	100.00
71 SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE CO THE	TELEPHONE	364 429 012	CONN	4-19-82	-
BELL INTEREST OWNS 17.08% OF THE COMMON STOCK AND THE COMPANY HAS LICENSE CONTRACT ARRANGEMENTS WITH THE AMERICAN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO					
72 U S STEEL CORPORATION 1	HOLDING	-	N J	2-25-01	-
73 CENTRAL RADIO TELEGRAPH CO	TELEPHONE	121 349	MICH	7-02-30	100.00
74 UNITED BRANDS COMPANY	HOLDING	-	N J	6-31-70	100.00
75 TRT TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORP	TELEGRAPH	7 687 105	DEL	6-02-13	100.00
76 UNITED TELECOMMUNICATIONS INC	HOLDING	-	KANS	11-15-38	-
77 UNITED INTER-MOUNTAIN TELEPHONE CO	TELEPHONE	33 542 298	VA	3-28-66	100.00
78 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF INDIANA INC	TELEPHONE	32 688 376	INO	9-14-31	100.00
79 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF THE NORTHWEST	TELEPHONE	15 750 630	ORE	7-18-07	99.99
80 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF OHIO	TELEPHONE	77 467 454	OHIO	12-01-65	100.00
81 UNITED TELEPHONE CO OF THE WEST	TELEPHONE	4 819 129	DEL	6-06-27	100.00
82 WESTERN UNION CORPORATION	HOLDING		DEL	1-30-70	-
83 WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO THE	TELEGRAPH	431 761 824	N Y	4-01-51	90.01
84 WUI INC	HOLDING		DEL	12-29-72	-
85 WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL INC	TELEGRAPH	45 061 192	DEL	1-12-61	-
86 WOODBURY TELEPHONE COMPANY	TELEPHONE	1 520 414	CONN	11-23-99	-
SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE CO OWNS 39.40% OF THE COMMON STOCK					

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2	MIO-PENN TELEPHONE CORPORATION	TELEPHONE	CLASSIFIED AS A CARRIER SUBJECT TO ALL THE COMMON CARRIER PROVISIONS OF THE COMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1934 AS AMENDED
3	NEMONT TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE INC	TELEPHONE	CLASSIFIED AS A CARRIER SUBJECT TO ALL THE COMMON CARRIER PROVISIONS OF THE COMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1934 AS AMENDED
4	UNITED TELECOMMUNICATIONS INC	HOLDING	NAME CHANGED FROM UNITED UTILITIES INC EFFECTIVE MAY 25 1972
5	WUI INC	HOLDING	ON DECEMBER 27, 1972 WESTERN UNION INTERNATIONAL, INC BECAME A WHOLLY OWNED SUBSIDIARY OF WUI, INC
6	DELETIONS SOUTH PENN TELEPHONE COMPANY	HOLDING	MERGED WITH AND INTO MIO-PENN TELEPHONE CORPORATION EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 27, 1972
7	UNITED UTILITIES, INC	TELEPHONE	NAME CHANGED TO UNITED TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC EFFECTIVE MAY 25, 1972

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